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Reds Close In on 2 Trapped Nazi Armies

Army at Peak Strength, but Heavy Draft To Continue

Replacement Needs Are Stressed; Navy Expected to Reach Maximum Sept. 1

By Ben W. Gilbert

The Office of War Information last night released a War Department statement that the Army had reached its peak strength of 7.7 million men.

The Navy, according to the OWI, will reach a strength of 3.5 millions by July 1 and will reach its planned strength of 3.6 millions by September 1.

A War Department statement emphasized "there can be no diminution of the efforts of local Selective Service boards to deliver the maximum possible number of men in the lower age group within the Army's calls. This will require continuous pressure on industry and agriculture to eliminate all but the vitally essential deferments between the ages of 18 and 26."

Expansion to Continue in April

The War Department statement revealed that the Army would continue to expand in April beyond 7.7 million, but would drop back in May to around that figure. The War Department emphasized that between 75,000 and 100,000 men would have to be inducted into the Army each month to maintain the 7.7 million strength.

Meanwhile Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of Selective Service, in a prepared address, estimated that Selective Service would have to provide 150,000 men a month to maintain the full 11.3 million strength of the armed forces.

Meanwhile, Secretary of Interior Ickes forecast that restrictions on use of coal probably will have to be tightened still further next winter because drafting of younger miners will increase the gap between production and needs.

The Interior Secretary and War Fuel Administrator gave no hint of what restrictions he has in mind in telling a press conference of this prospect. Officials have held out against coal rationing because it would present many difficulties, since types of coal vary greatly in heat content.

The amount of coal which may be purchased or stockpiled already is under restrictions for most types.

Little Hope of Deferments

Ickes said he had about given up hope for occupational deferment of any miners under 26, although he has asked it for those of 22 through 25 who have had three years' experience.

A recent survey disclosed there are 36,000 miners under 26, he related, and he estimated 20,000 would be inducted if no occupational deferments are granted—a figure meaning 16,000 would be classed 4-F or deferred for miscellaneous reasons.

Ickes said drafting of these 20,000 would mean a loss of 28 million tons of coal, bringing the prospective deficit in the coming season's production to 54 million tons. A 26 million-ton deficit under the year's requirements is in

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Outlaw Twin Beds To Curb Divorce, Jurist Pleads

Chicago, April 6 (AP).—Twin beds, says Judge Frank Donohue of Women's Court, are an "unholy system" and should be thrown out of American homes.

They have "caused more dissension, distrust and disunity resulting in divorce than any other single factor," he said. "This unholy system has resulted in millions of childless homes and of multiplying divorce actions."

He said the decline of the Nation starts with the disintegration of the family and urged "Government subsidies for the full use of a good old-fashioned marital bed," and suggested legislation against twin beds.

Boy Born Down Well Succumbs at Age of 8

Silver City, N. C., April 6 (AP).—Franklin Woodrow Emile Jordan, 8, whose birth at the bottom of a well attracted Nation-wide attention in 1935, was buried here today. He died in a Durham hospital Tuesday night, after being ill five months.

The boy's mother fainted and fell into a well where she had gone to draw water. While she was unconscious her son was born. Both recovered from the experience without ill effects.

Grandma Goes to Sea

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

RECORD FOR THE WAVES—Mrs. Flossie Sumner, 35, of Lexington, Ky., tells her 10-month-old granddaughter, Camille Brock, goodby before leaving for Hunter College, New York City, and training in the WAVES. Navy recruiters said Mrs. Sumner was believed to be the first grandmother enlisted in the Waves

Federal Jury Begins Probe At Scranton

Extreme Secrecy Rules In District Where Two Judges Are Under Fire

Scranton, Pa., April 6 (AP)—in utmost secrecy, a grand jury investigation began today into "certain matters" in the Middle District of Pennsylvania.

The courtroom was cleared of reporters and spectators for the first time within memory as United States District Judge William F. Smith of New Jersey, specially presiding, charged the jury.

The House Judiciary Committee recently ordered an investigation of the official conduct of Judges Albert W. Johnson and Albert L. Watson, who regularly sit in the district.

Besides the judge and jurors, the only persons in the courtroom were Max H. Goldschein and Boris Kostelanetz, assistants to Attorney General Biddle.

They later issued the following statement:

"In order that witnesses may not be deterred or embarrassed in this investigation, we are asking the press to cooperate to the extent of not identifying any witness who appears before the grand jury."

Otherwise, there was no elaboration of Federal officials' terse comment early in the week that "certain matters" in the district would be investigated.

U. S. Labor Aids Underground Railroad in China

New York, April 6 (AP).—An underground railroad, financed in part by CIO and AFL war relief funds, has been in operation between Japanese-occupied and free China since last September, says Irving Abramson, CIO war relief committee chairman.

He said the secret line, patterned after the one in this country before the Civil War, has aided 400 skilled technicians to escape the Japanese.

Chungking is one terminus of the railroad, he added, while the starting points are in the vicinity of Hongkong, Shanghai and Tientsin.

Dewey Total Of Delegates Reaches 133

Talk Increases About Ticket With Warren of California

By the Associated Press

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey showed the first gain yesterday from the withdrawal of Wendell Willkie from the GOP presidential nomination contest, as talk in political circles increased of a Republican ticket composed of the New Yorker and Gov. Earl Warren of California.

Dewey picked up a New York delegate who had been counted in Willkie's claimed column, thus raising his claimed support to 83 out of New York's 85 unpledged district delegates so far chosen. A total of 530 is necessary for a nomination.

The New Yorker who went over to Dewey was Roland B. Marvin, Onondaga (Syracuse) Republican County chairman, who said that in view of the vote in Wisconsin, giving Dewey a possible 18 out of the 24 delegates, and Willkie none, he would "unreservedly" support Dewey. Two other New York delegates remained uncommitted.

Dewey-Warren Ticket

Meanwhile those who predict a Dewey-Warren ticket were arguing this way: In view of the fact that the Republicans have demonstrated much strength in the Midwest, and the South is traditionally Democratic, the crucial election battlegrounds this year will be the East and the West. Warren comes from the West's most populous State, just as Dewey represents the biggest in the East.

Moreover, it is argued, the addition of Warren to the ticket might be calculated to attract many voters who supported Willkie because of his international views. Warren had advocated an international police force to prevent future aggression.

He said in an interview at the 1943 Governors' conference: "We have got to have a police force to maintain peace and the United States must be a part of it for our own security and the safety of the world."

It was recalled also that Deweys 1942 gubernatorial platform urged

See POLITICS, Page 2, Column 5.

New Filibuster Brewing

1000 Amendments Rushed In Fight on Anti-Poll-Tax Bill

By Robert C. Albright

Southern Senators have been sitting up nights thinking up ways to kill anti-poll tax legislation and yesterday announced a grand total of 1000 amendments "either ready or being prepared."

The House-passed bill, abolishing poll taxes as a prerequisite for voting, will be called up in the Senate in the teeth of a brewing filibuster, probably during the week of April 24.

While poll-tax State Senators studied every parliamentary delaying device, supporters of the bill were preparing a brickbat of their own—a cloture resolution designed to smash the filibuster.

Senator James O. Eastland (D., Miss.), one of the leading opponents of the bill, said yesterday he wasn't worrying much about cloture but he had been awfully busy on amendments.

He said Senator John L. McClellan (D., Miss.) had been helping him do the spadework and they had agreed to prepare 1000. The first 48, he said, came easy. These are separate amendments, covering the voting qualifications of every State.

"You'd be surprised," said Eastland. "Some of these Northern States' qualifications are pretty strict. They ought to be in the bill."

Another Eastland amendment will provide that every voter be required "to speak the English language." He didn't say whether that meant a grammar test.

Under Senate procedure every amendment to a bill opens a new

See POLL, Page 2, Column 6.

U. S. to Hear Hull Defend Goals Abroad

Secretary Expected To Answer Critics Of Foreign Policy On Radio Sunday

By Edward T. Folliard

Secretary of State Hull will make his long-awaited speech on American foreign policy Sunday evening, and is expected to reply forcefully to the critical fire that is now being directed at the State Department.

He will speak over the entire 137-station network of the Columbia Broadcasting System beginning at 6:30 p. m. His speech will be entitled "The Foreign Policy of the United States," and will last from 35 to 40 minutes.

It will be Mr. Hull's first oratorical effort since he spoke before a joint session of Congress on November 18, following his return from the Four-Power Conference in Moscow. This was one of the great triumphs of his career. As he told of what had been done in Moscow to end "international anarchy," he was given a tremendous ovation by the members of both parties.

Criticism Revives

Today the State Department is again being bombarded with criticism. Some of the critics say the United States has no foreign policy. Others say that if there is one, it's a policy of expediency rather than principle. Questions also are being asked about the Atlantic Charter and Poland, about the future of Germany, and about this country's attitude toward De Gaulle and Badoglio.

Secretary Hull has been working on his Sunday evening speech for two weeks or more, and doubtless has had several talks with President Roosevelt in connection with it.

He laid the groundwork for the spech on March 21 when he issued a 17-point statement on foreign policy. This said that the paramount aim of our foreign policy right now "is to defeat our enemies as quickly as possible."

Failed to Satisfy GOP

A few days later, Secretary Hull held a closed-door session with 24 Republican freshmen of the House, legislators who had been supporting the Administration's foreign policy but who had begun to wonder about its direction. Mr. Hull talked to them for two hours. In the end, most of the Republicans said they were still not satisfied that the policy was all that it should be.

Along about this same time, President Roosevelt made a sarcastic reference to the State Department's critics. He spoke of people who were going around asking bellhops whether or not the United States had a foreign policy.

Wendell Willkie and others have since cited this bellhop remark in attacking the Administration's foreign policy or lack of one.

Gen. Vogel Shifted

San Diego, Calif., April 6 (AP).—Maj. Gen. Clayton B. Vogel, 61, commanding the Fleet Marine Force, said today he had received orders transferring him to Parris Island, S. C. A native of Philadelphia, General Vogel returned here several months ago from a command in the Pacific.

Allied Planes Killed Own Men in Italy

Eaker Tells of Fatal Accidents; Admits Bombs Failed to Free Cassino of Nazis

Naples, April 6 (AP).—Allied bombers accidentally killed Allied troops and failed to blast the Nazis out of Cassino in their great assault March 15, Lieut. Gen. Ira C. Eaker conceded today, but the commander of Allied Mediterranean Air Forces sharply insisted the operation "accomplished all that was expected of it by the Air Force commanders."

An unstated number of Allied troops were killed at Venafro, 12 miles east of Cassino, when Allied bombardiers mistook that town for the target, Eaker said, and other bombs fell wide of their mark near Cassino when they accidentally became dislodged from their racks. He did not say whether the latter caused any deaths among Allied troops.

Earlier Lessons Confirmed

Indicating his belief that the outcome at Cassino should not be construed as a black eye for aerial bombardment, Eaker said it was not to be expected that such an attack could wipe out all resistance.

"Over a long and more sustained period a greater degree of devastation could have been caused in Cassino," he said, "but it probably would have had little bearing on the final result. The enemy forces in their cellars, deep dugouts and underground passages would not have been affected."

The Cassino result, he asserted, only confirmed earlier lessons that heavy four-engined bombers would be better employed in attacking long-range strategic targets, such as the present campaign against the Balkans, than in close tactical support of ground forces, except in certain emergencies "such as at Salerno."

No Criticism of Ground Forces

The air force commander, who discussed various aspects of the Cassino operation freely at a press conference, emphasized that his remarks should not be construed as a criticism of the ground forces or their commanders.

He pointed out, however, that there are some types of operations for which the air forces are not designed and to which they cannot be adapted.

"Under those conditions I want them to do whatever they can in support of the general battle, or to save the situation even though they may not be highly efficient in carrying out the task," Eaker said.

MacArthur Role Seen Continuing

Allied Headquarters, Southwest Pacific, April 6 (AP).—Gen. Douglas MacArthur will continue in complete direction of southwest Pacific offensives, it is believed in reliable quarters here, regardless of changes that may be made in the status of the south Pacific area or its command.

This view developed after the disclosure at south Pacific Headquarters that Admiral William F. Halsey may be switched from his command there to another important post. Operationally, the two areas came under MacArthur's command in June, 1943.

Prince Umberto Backed

Six Italian Political Parties Support Coalition Program

By Richard G. Massock

Sorrento, Italy, April 6 (AP).—Leaders of the six opposition parties virtually agreed today to participate in a coalition "war government" of liberated Italy if and when King Vittorio Emanuele retires, by designating Crown Prince Umberto as his lieutenant.

After Benedetto Croce, liberal leader, informed it of negotiations to bring about this step, the executive junta of the parties issued a statement reaffirming "the necessity and urgency of forming a war cabinet."

The junta expressed confidence that the initiation of negotiations would "bring a complete and quick solution to the present Italian crisis without waiting for the liberation of Rome."

Members said this meant the junta hoped the King would transfer his powers to his son without delay.

The question of collaborating with Marshal Pietro Badoglio as Premier was described even by those hostile to him as "of secondary importance."

The junta's decision was taken in answer to a Communist proposal for the formation of a coalition war cabinet even if the King remained. The negotiations which resulted in the King's proposal to retire had been disclosed, Croce said, only because of the Communist initiative. Thus the six parties apparently have found a formula under which they could collaborate in the reorganization of the government without seeming to be in tow of the Communists.

Croce and Count Carlo Sforza, anti-Fascist leader, credited Enrico de Nicola, last pre-Fascist president of the Chamber of Deputies, with the idea of substituting "a lieutenancy," which has numerous precedents in Italian history, for the King's abdication which the six parties previously had demanded after their Bari convention last January.

War For a Jungle Base

Imphal Allies Ambush Japs Staking All in Desperate Drive

Enemy Has Only Six Or Eight Weeks to Sever Artery Into China

By J. Reilly O'Sullivan

Just returned from two years as Associated Press Correspondent in China and India

New York, April 6 (AP).—Japan's invasion of northeast India is well described in front dispatches as a "desperate gamble," but it's not to be shrugged off.

Aimed at knifing China's lifeline and stopping supplies to Lieut. Gen. Joseph Stilwell's Allied forces in north Burma by cutting the Bengal-Assam railway, it is a move born of desperation and one seemingly well-conceived.

Having isolated the Allied base at Imphal in Manipur State by road and holding a 15-mile stretch of the highway northward, the invaders are only 40 miles east of their goal.

It remains to be seen whether the enemy can maintain supplies through jungle and mountain, consolidate positions and push on—harassed as the foe is by Chinese,

See REILLY, Page 2, Column 3.

Indian Division Cuts Way Through Enemy, Killing 1800

New Delhi, April 6 (AP).—Allied troops have ambushed Japanese units on jungle roads north and south of Imphal, inflicting losses on enemy forces exerting pressure all along the Assam front north of that Indian base, an Allied communique said today.

The bulletin gave no specific information on the Japanese spearheads aimed at Dimapur, reported earlier to have thrust to within 80 miles of that town, on the Bengal-Assam Railway, an American Army-operated lifeline into upper Burma.

The Japanese threat has failed to halt the flow of supplies along the railway to Allied troops. Should the Japanese block the railroad there still would be a highway and the rail route along the Brahmaputra River which already are moving much material.

The fighting around Imphal was at such close quarters that Allied troops captured a Japanese general's sword and medals south of

See BURMA, Page 2, Column 4.

Public Anger Beating Strike In British Pits

Miners Trickle Back Under Pressure Of War-Torn Nation

London, April 6 (AP).—The Yorkshire strike of 60,000 miners appeared to be cracking tonight under intense pressure of public opinion, determined government warnings and union appeals.

Fuel Minister Gwilym Lloyd George said the situation was improved, with 60 per cent of the Yorkshire pits working again. A slow, steady return of workers renewed the hope a showdown might be averted. The executive union committee felt the strikers all would be back by the Easter holiday's end Tuesday.

Lloyd George informed Commons the latest of the coal field walkouts cut war production, cost the country an average of 385,000 tons of fuel the last four weeks, and made heavy inroads in dwindling reserves.

The United States Army lent a hand to speed mining operations in the Northumberland coal fields today by moving two huge mechanical excavators to the site for strip-mining.

In Belfast, 30,000 shipyard, aircraft and engineering workers remained idle.

Labor Minister Ernest Bevin has authority to clamp down on strike inciters under the same regulations that apply to any subversive action against the government and the nation's war effort.

The London Daily Star termed the strikes "blackmail" and said the strikers' action constituted a "blow struck in the back at their comrades in the armed forces."

Maryland Boy Shoots Himself Accidentally

A 17-year-old boy was admitted to Casualty Hospital in an undetermined condition yesterday from T B, Md., after he accidentally shot himself in the chest and arm while cleaning his gun.

The boy, Calvin Brady, who lives and works in the Greyhound bus terminal in T B, was cleaning a .32-caliber revolver in his room when it accidentally was discharged. He was brought to the hospital in a private car by W. Earl Hindle, manager of the bus terminal.

Pacific Planes Smash Anew At Hollandia

Attack Follows Destruction of 288 Jap Craft Previously

Allied Headquarters, Southwest Pacific (Friday), April 7 (AP).—Hollandia, where a fleet of 288 Japan's north new Guinea base of planes was wiped out recently, was smashed hard again at noon Wednesday by Allied planes, it was announced today.

The raiding 5th Airforce encountered no air interception and suffered no losses as they swarmed on the staging base of bomb-blasted enemy garrisons at Wewak and Madang. A ship in Hollandia's harbor was set afire.

Three hundred and twenty tons of bombs destroyed buildings, and set fuel dumps afire.

This great weight followed by only four days a record 400-ton assault at Hollandia Sunday which finished off the base's planes and rendered its three airfields unserviceable.

'Newsboys' in Air Irking Nazis With Daily Deliveries

A U. S. Bomber Base, England, April 6 (AP).—American Air Force "newsboys," using Flying Fortresses to cover their aerial routes, claimed today the largest newspaper circulation in the world, with an average daily distribution of 2,500,000 propaganda newspapers and leaflets to their "customers" in occupied Europe and Germany.

The paper bombs, carrying the truth about the war to the populations of Axis Europe, are preparing them for the coming invasion, according to Capt. Paul T. Travsky, 22, Youngstown, Ohio, navigation officer in one of the air-borne propaganda squadrons.

That they are getting results is evidenced by reports that furious Nazi leaders have decreed imprisonment or death for anyone found reading or discussing the leaflets.

In New Guinea Jungle

Officer Tells How Japs Used Dead Yanks as Booby-Traps

By James F. King

During more than a year of savage fighting in the isolated northeast section of New Guinea, the Japanese have learned to booby-trap the bodies of dead American soldiers and U. S. infantrymen have grown wise in the ways of jungle campaigning, Col. J. Sladen Bradley reported yesterday.

Bradley, a member of the General Staff Corps, has returned here after commanding an infantry regiment at the landing at Saidor in January. The regiment included many of the veterans of the Buna campaign of November, 1942, in which Bradley won the Distinguished Service Cross and the Silver Star with Oak Leaf Cluster.

At Saidor, Bradley said, doughboys mopping up Japanese positions found American dead with their rifles strapped to them in such a way that when they were moved explosions occurred. In some instances the explosives were set off by wires and threads arranged to trip advancing troops. Bradley said no booby traps were found after the Japs were driven from Buna.

The biggest difference between the two campaigns, however, was the increase in the doughboys' proficiency. "Our men are no longer trigger-happy," said Bradley. "They don't shoot until they see something. They've learned to appreciate noises. They've learned to rest when they can. They still get scared but you get scared no matter how many times you've gone in."

Bradley said jungle fighting calls

See TRAPS, Page 2, Column 1.

Germans Hit Vainly at Ring Drawn Tight On Tarnopol

Attacks From Outside Repelled; Skala Falls; Soviet Van Only 14 Miles From Odessa

London, April 6 (AP).—Russian troops closing in for the kill tightened nooses around two encircled German army forces at Tarnopol and Skala on the northwest sector of the Ukraine front today and on the southern front the Red army drove closer around Odessa in an operation designed to spring another trap on that Black Sea port.

The Soviet communique announced capture of Skala itself, 55 miles southeast of Tarnopol and 40 miles northeast of Czernowitz, and a series of other strong points within the defenses of the remnants of 15 Nazi divisions west and southwest of Skala.

The Steel Ring Holds

At Tarnopol itself, the Russians announced they beat off attacks by large German infantry and tank forces that tried vainly to break in from the outside to release their encircled comrades. The only result was a tightening of the loop and heavy losses to the Germans. Street fighting already has been in progress in Tarnopol for days.

On the Odessa front, the Russians announced, the railway station of Garbovo, southeast of liberated Razdelnaya, was taken in a drive down the rail line that once was the Germans' main hope of supply or escape but which now is a Russian pathway toward Odessa itself.

More than 100 places taken in that sector included the district center of Goroshilovo and the town of Sverdlovo, 14 miles northeast of Odessa.

On the Kishinev front in central Bessarabia, the Russians also announced continuing progress.

For the third successive night Moscow was silent regarding the Rumanian front, where the Germans claim to have brought up reinforcements.

Foe Says Drive Stalls

German and Rumanian reports stressed the theme that the Russian campaign in Rumania had been stalled, but Moscow's silence did not necessarily bear them out, and repeated British and American air raids on key Balkan targets were paving the way for the Russians to push farther into Rumania.

The German attempt at a rescue expedition for Tarnopol was a belated one, for the garrison there has been in close combat with the Russians since the Soviets completed a ring around the city 12 days ago.

Moscow gave a terse, grim picture of the German attempt to ram through a deadly belt of fire to save the bedraggled garrison. It recalled a similar futile effort to save the German garrison at Korsun in mid-February, which cost the Germans 20,000 men.

19 Sea Lions Fight Fisherman for His Catch of Salmon

Astoria, Oreg., April 6 (AP).—A veteran deep-sea fisherman docked here yesterday exhausted from a battle to defend his 500-pound salmon catch against 19 sealions.

Henry Jorgensen said his trawler was anchored 10 miles off Long Beach, Wash., when he was awakened by what seemed at first the pitching of a storm.

He emerged from the wheelhouse to find two sea lions flapping at him from the gunwales. He knocked them off, went back to bed. The vessel began rolling again. Jorgensen said 17 more sea lions were fighting to climb to the salmon on the deck.

For an hour and 15 minutes, Jorgensen declared he kept them at bay with a pike pole and was about to yield when a final thrust disloged a 12-footer that had actually boarded the craft.

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War Sidelights

Polish Army Anti-Semite Cases Sifted

London, April 6 (AP).—The official Polish newspaper Dziennik Polski said today that charges made in Commons yesterday of anti-Semitism in the Polish army had been investigated by a Polish commission and found to be, in the majority of cases, "without foundation, greatly exaggerated or referring to incidents liquidated more than a year ago."

"The incidents mentioned by Driberg (Tom Driberg, independent member of Commons) were investigated by a special commission established by the ministry of national defense and the commander-in-chief," the newspaper said.

"In a few cases the complaints were justified, and a thorough investigation was ordered," it continued, adding that court proceedings will be opened against the guilty.

Will Rogers Sails Again

Moscow, April 6 (AP).—The U. S. Liberty Ship Will Rogers has arrived at a northern port, leading a Soviet correspondent to recall that the humorist after whom the ship was named promised nine years ago to return to Russia. "His spirit if not his physical self has completed a second trip to the Soviet Union," the correspondent said.

Capt. Pickard Missing

London, April 6 (AP).—Group Capt. P. C. Pickard, pilot of the "F for Freddie" in the RAF film "Target for Tonight," was reported tonight to be missing in action. His last target was not disclosed.

British Nurse Losses

London, April 6 (AP).—Dame Katherine Jones, matron-in-chief of Queen Alexandra's imperial military nursing service, announced today that 102 British army nursing sisters have been killed under fire since the start of the war. Forty-two others, she said, are missing in Malaya and 14 are prisoners at Hongkong.

Pas-de-Calais Area Bombed; Others Raid Into Yugoslavia

London, April 6 (AP).—American Liberators hurled 600 tons of bombs on the Pas-de-Calais area of France again today and the Germans broadcast that another American formation was over northern Yugoslavia.

As on yesterday, the French sortie was carried out without loss. Crews reported they saw no German planes and anti-aircraft fire was meager.

The Yugoslav operation, which the Germans reported took the bombers over the Marburg-Zagreb area almost to the Austrian border, probably originated from Italian bases.

The Germans also said single Allied planes were over north Germany.

The RAF Wednesday night executed another of its moonlight onslaughts against three German aircraft repair shops tucked away in the outskirts of Toulouse, France. One plane was lost.

The Vichy radio said heavy damage was done to property and 17 persons were killed and 45 injured at Toulouse.

3 Chutes Ease Bomber Into Safe Landing

Seventh Army Air Force Headquarters, Hawaii, April 6 (AP).—A flier who saved the lives of his crew by an ingenious use of parachutes to check the landing speed of a crippled four-engined bomber was commended yesterday by Gen. H. H. Arnold, commander of the Army Air Force.

The three chutes, opening as the bomber made an emergency landing without a hydraulic system or brakes, stopped the big plane on the last inch of a fighter strip at Tarawa, in the Gilberts.

'Feat of High Order'

The quick-thinking flier was Lieut. Charles F. Pratte of Warren, R. I.

The landing, General Arnold wrote Lieut. Pratte, was a feat "of high order—unique as far as I know in operational history" of aircraft.

There had been a 90-mile running battle with 30 Japanese fighters. Lieut. Pratte's plane, Belle of Texas, dropped back to protect another damaged bomber.

Three shells and 30 machine gun bullets hit the Belle. The hydraulic system was shot away. The brakes were useless. One of the four engines had stalled.

Chutes Stop Bomber

The Belle wobbled within sight of a new fighter strip being built on Tarawa. Lieut. Pratte had parachutes attached to waist gun mounts and tail bracings. Just as the wheels touched the runway, the three chutes were released, opening simultaneously.

When the plane stopped on the last inch of runway, the bomber's wheels were on land—but the nose was over water. The crew members estimate the billowing chutes cut the speed 30 to 40 miles an hour.

No member of the crew was injured.

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for young men and he cited the fact that his oldest battalion commander was 32 and his regimental executive a 29-year-old lieutenant colonel. Many of his company officers had fought at Buna as enlisted men.

He said the men were much better supplied at Saidor than they were at Buna. "Six days after we hit the beach the men in the front lines were eating fresh meat. It had been frozen and brought in by transport planes."

Medical care is the best possible, Bradley said. "Three portable hospitals landed with us and a station hospital came in a short time later. Evacuation was prompt. It all made a big difference. Knowing he's going to be well taken care of if he's hit, is a big morale booster for the doughboy."

Bradley said the Japanese appeared to have lost some of the fanaticism of the early months of the war. "It's a different kind of Jap now," he said. "You can kill him, you can capture him, and he'll even surrender. The circumstances have changed and now he knows he doesn't have a chance."

Texas Plans To Challenge Negro Ruling

Houston, Tex., April 6 (AP).—Dan Moody, former Governor, and Wright Morrow, representing the Texas Democratic Executive Committee, will ask the United States Supreme Court for a rehearing on its decision that Negroes can vote in Texas Democratic primaries, George A. Butler, committee chairman, said today.

Moody will go to Washington to argue the motion in behalf of the Democratic party of Texas, Butler told a press conference.

He announced appointment of a committee of Texas lawyers to study the opinion, and the Texas election laws, and make recommendations to the committee on what action to pursue to regulate the membership of the Democratic party in Texas.

Challenge by Smith

Columbia, S. C., April 6 (AP).—Senator E. D. Smith, anti-Administration Democrat, said here today the Supreme Court's decision in the Texas primary case challenged "white supremacy" in the South and delared, "in the name of South Carolina, I accept the challenge."

In a prepared statement Smith gave his reaction to the court's decision holding that Negroes could not be barred from the Texas Democratic primaries. He was here for a speech.

The court ruling, he said, was an "answer" to his walking out of the Democratic National Convention at Philadelphia in 1936, when a Negro minister was called upon to pray.

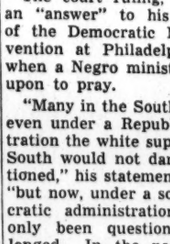
"Many in the South thought that even under a Republican administration the white supremacy of the South would not dare to be questioned," his statement said in part, "but now, under a so-called Democratic administration, it has not only been questioned but challenged. In the name of South Carolina, I accept the challenge.

Declaring he had "confidence in the serious, determined spirit of South Carlinians to maintain their right to govern the State," he continued:

"Our right to determine the qualifications of the voter has been challenged. Our right to protect ourselves has been challenged. The Federal Government as now administered seems determined to dictate to the State the laws that shall govern its political, its social and its economic life."

Miss Hannemann Wins Scholarship At Business School

Miss Nancy Hannemann, a senior student at the Jefferson High High School of Falls Church, winner of the local American Legion oratorical contest pand the Eighth District contest held at Gadsby's Tavern, Alexandria, and third lace winner in the State contest held in Portsmouth, has added another to her list of accomplish a c c o m plishments. his time she has won the scholarship offered by Strayer's Business Collee of Washington, which permits her to continue the commercial course she is now taking at Jefferson.



Miss Hannman

Miss Hannemann is secretary of the efferson Hih School Student Council, the Victory Corps Council, the Glee Club and the Senior Class.

She is theT dauhter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hannemann of 202 Gibson st., Falls Church.

Murphy in Algiers

Algiers, April 6 (AP).—Robert E. Murphy, former United States member of the Allied Advisory Council for Italy, arrived in Algiers today to continue his duties as political adviser on the staff of the Allied commander in chief for the Mediterranean theater. His position on the Allied Advisory Council for Italy has been taken over by Alexander C. Kirk, American Minister to Egypt.

Grin And Bear It

By Lichty

"But, dear, why can't I! . . . All my friends' husbands are letting them run for Congress this year!"

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America nand British thrusts deep into Burma to the north and by British action southward along the Bay of Bengal, on the Arakan front.

Strong British forces in Imphal can be supplied by air owing to Allied ai rsuperiority, although Allied authorities have indicated they don't believe it will be necessary due to large stores, and the Manipur railhead is well defended.

Recently taken over by American Army experts to speed up traffic, the Bengal-Assam railway north from Calcutta is the principal artery for supplying China through the great Allied air installations in Assam, and for the troops under Stilwell who are fighting to extend the Ledo Road across Burma.

Their Planes Have Failed

Japanese aviation has been stumped in trying to stop American transport planes flying the Himalaya "hump" with gasoline and bombs for Chennault's 14th AAF, and with material for the Chinese air and ground forces. Although losses on the route have been heavy, they have been largely due to weather and terrain.

Now the Nipponese effort is to accomplish the same purpose by land.

Should it work there would be dire results in China as well as for the Allied forces based in and upon Assam.

Japanese forces in Burma have been estimated at around seven divisions.

Considering the long preparations for the defense of India, and the huge manpower and considerable weapons available, it could be assumed that the Allied high command at New Delhi is preparing to turn the Japanese gamble into a major defeat.

It is a safe bet, too, that the Japanese are playing for keeps in this operation and may deal some cards from the middle of the deck.

Time is the big factor now. In six to eight weeks the monsoons will deluge the jungles and mountains, slowing down all ground movement.

Chinese Drive in Offing

Recently the Tokyo radio disclosed a new Japanese worry. The broadcast declared that the Chinese expeditionary force facing the Salween River in Yunnan Province of China, might be expected to begin an offensive.

This large force, I was told by its chief of staff, Gen. Hsia I-su, has sufficient supplies to fight either offensively or defensively.

Informed military authorities declare that when this force goes into action, it is as good a bet as any military prediction can be that the Japanese will be exterminated in northern Burma.

The enemy would be caught between Stilwell's forces moving east from Assam and the Chinese moving west acros the Salween gorges.

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prospect wit hexisting manpower, he explained.

He estimated 8000 miners would be drafted if those in the 22-25 age brackets with three years experience were deferred and said this would mean a cut of 11 million tons in coal production.

Consumption in the year ending April 1 was about 40 million tons greater than production, reducing stockpiles from 90 million tons to 50 million.

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Imphal on the Tiddim Road.

(The British radio said troops of the 17th Indian Division had fought their way through the Japanese and reached Imphal after 21 days of action in which 1800 enemy casualties were inflicted. The report said part of the action was along ten miles of the Imphal-Tiddim highway. Two weeks ago, the Japanese asserted they had cut the division to pieces.)

Chinese forces in northern Burma are continuing to drive the enemy southward in the upper Mogaung Valley and are advancing on the village of Wakawng, the communique said.

Strong Point Wiped Out

Mihloigar Tawng and Maranga Tawng, tiny settlements a mile and a half east of the valley road, fell to the Chinese who also crossed a river southeast of Laban and eliminated a Japanese strong point at the confluence of two rivers about 40 miles north of Mogaung on the Myitkyina railway.

To the east, Burmese troops advancing on Myitkyina along the Sumprabum rd. reached the Tlang River. (This apparently is about 45 miles north of Myitkyina, chief Japanese base north of the Burma rd.)

The communique said 24 Japanese planes were destroyed in an air attack against the Aungban airfield in central Burma Tuesday. Heavy bombers hit Japanese headquarters at Nagorn Sawern Tuesday night and blasted rail yards and jetties at Moulmein.

It was reported that the first Japanese attempt to drop supplies by air to their troops in the Burma jungle resulted in all the ammunition packets hurtling harmlessly into an Allied base. The Japanese also lost one out of three transports.

Chaplin Jurors Get Mystery 'Phone Calls

Los Angeles, April 6 (AP).—Four of the 12 jurors who acquitted Charlie Chaplin of Mann Act charges Tuesday night disclosed today they had received anonymous telephone calls, one of them from a man who told a woman juror she had piled up a lot of trouble for herself.

The juror, Mrs. Beatrice B. Allan, said a "pleasant" male voice advised her she had no idea of the trouble the verdict of innocent for the comedian had caused.

Jury Foreman Roscoe S. Reeder said his phone rang about 9 o'clock last night and:

"A woman who was obviously trying to disguise her voice asked me if I had been on the Chaplin case. I asked her what she meant and she said, 'Weren't you on the Chaplin jury?'

"I didn't want to get involved in anything, so I told her she must have the wrong number."

Another juror, Mrs. Edythe E. Lewis, told reporters that a woman describing herself as "an American citizen" had protested that she did not like the way the case was handled.

Mrs. Hazel M. Gill said she received two calls from women. One—again "an American citizen"—asked how she would like to have her children treated as was Joan Berry, and the other criticized her for acquitting a "foreigner."

The British-born actor-producer was cleared of a Federal indictment's charges that he sent his 24-year-old ex-protegee to New York City and return in October, 1942, for immoral purposes.

Alexandria Hospital Corp. Elects Officers

The Alexandria Hospital Corp. ended its fiscal year this week with election of officers and the issuance of the annual report tracing the period of the hospital's greatest expansion since its establishment.

Clarence J. Robinson of Belle Haven was reelected president of the corporation of 35 persons, including 17 members at large, 16 church representatives and the mayor and city manager of Alexandria, William T. Wilkins and Carl Budwesky. Irving L. Diener was elected secretary succeeding A. Slater Lamond, who expects to enter the armed forces.

Robert G. Whitton was reelected treasurer of the board and administrator of the hospital. Also on the board of directors are: Delegate W. Selden Washington of the Virginia Legislature, who was elected to fill the position held by Lamond; William A. Moore, jr., William K. Coakley and David C. Book.

2 Changes in Church Group

Two changes were made in the group of 16 church representatives in the corporation when the Rev. Norman Roberts, pastor of Methodist Protestant Church, was named to succeed Thurman Smith in representing that church, and Clayton Thomas replaced Mrs. M. J. McFarland as the representative from St. Rita's Catholic Church.

Construction of a four-story north wing which was partially opened in March and the addition of a two-floor east wing which is expected to be opened on April 15 were the major projects cited in the administrator's annual report. Work is being done through a loan and grant of $712,000 under the Lanham Act, but Whitton pointed out the hospital had an operating deficit of $14,897.49 for the year caused by the transitional period from the smaller hospital to a larger one, together with the demands for expendable equipment and supplies for the north wing, not covered by the project.

East Wing to Cost $40,899

The east wing which is being built at an estimated cost of $40,899.58 is for administrative offices and a doctors' lounge with priorities for construction of the second and third floors withheld, although it is planned to make the additions when building conditions permit.

Remodeling of Carter Hall, the former St. Mary's Catholic Academy Building at 706 Prince st. for the new School of Nursing which opened in October of last year, was done at a contract figure of $52,787 by Eugene Simpson & Brother of Alexandria, the report showed.

Robinson announced that participation in two hospitalization insurance plans was authorized: Group Hospitalization, Inc., of Washington, and the Richmond Hospital Service Association of Richmond, Va.

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force, if necessary, to preserve peace.

While the Dewey-Warren boosters were active, Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio, who, with Representative Dirksen of Illinois, are the only active campaigners for the presidential nomination, told newsmen at Columbus that he hoped to get a share of the Willkie strength.

Bricker spoke in Indianapolis last night. He speaks in Chicago tonight and then goes to the West Coast for a 9-day swing.

Supporters of Lieut. Comdr. Harold E. Stassen also predicted a march to their camp of some of the Willkie followers.

Willkie refused to amplify his withdrawal statement during a stopover in Chicago en route to New York.

"You know as much about that as I do," he said when asked whether Governor Dewey would be the GOP nominee.

Willkie still left unanswered the big question whether he would support the convention's choice and what he would do if the selection did not come within his own specifications.

Willkie Says No More

Chicago, April 6 (AP).—Wendell Willkie, smiling and saying he felt "wonderful," declined today to amplify his statement that he had stepped out of the race for the Republican presidential nomination.

Willkie, who stopped in Chicago for three hours en route from Nebraska to New York, told newsmen there would be no enlargement at this time of his statement in Omaha, conceding that he could not win.

As Willkie went up the stairs from the lobby of the crowded Union Station to the street level, a large throng, including many servicemen, watched. There were a few faint cheers and a few boos.

Two-Thirds Rule Move

Houston, Tex., April 6 (AP).—Chairman George A. Butler of the Texas Democratic executive committee announced today that "I am renewing my efforts among all of the State executive committee chairmen and governors of the southern States for the restoration of the two-thirds rule at national conventions."

"I believe more than ever that the restoration of this rule is absolutely necessary as a protection to our party rights throughout the South," Butler told newsmen.

At Greenbelt

Dawn Rites Will Usher Easter In

Easter will be observed by the Greenbelt (Md.) Community Church with a sunrise service at 6:30 o'clock Sunday morning on the lawn at the Elementary School Building. The Community Band will open the service with the "Star-Spangled Banner" and the "The Creation" by Haydn. The congregation will sing "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" and "Holy, Holy Holy." Rev. Wilmer Pierce Johnston, the pastor, will deliver a short address.

The church school will present a special Easter program at 9:30 o'clock and another Easter service, with selections by the church choir, will be presented at 11 o'clock.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will hold a special Easter program for adults and children in the social room of the Elementary School at 10 o'clock. Regular sacrament services will be held at 6:30 p. m. with appropriate music and an Easter message.

The Men's Bible Class of the Community Church dramatized "The Last Supper" before a large audience at the Elementary School Auditorium last evening. The cast was under the direction of Paul Barnhart.

Games for Sailors

A chest of games for the crew of the newly launched destroyer escort "Formoe," named for Aviation Machinist's Mate Clarence Formoe who was killed in action at the Pearl Harbor, will be presented to the ship in the name of the residents of Greenbelt, Mrs. Helen Bolshazy, national president of the Navy Wives Club of America, announced. The Greenbelt woman was the sponsor of the ship Sunday at the Federal Shipbuilding and Drydock Co. at Port Newark, N. J.

The Greenbelt Navy Wives Club made a donation to the chest this week and an appeal is being made to other residents for donation of games, new or used, to be added to the chest.

The local club will hold a cake sale Friday morning, April 14, at the Greenbelt Theater, and the next meeting of the club will be held Wednesday afternoon, April 12, at the home economics room at the elementary school.

Powers Heads Orchestra

J. M. Powers of Beltsville, Md., a member of the National Theater Orchestra in Washington, has been elected director of the Greenbelt (Md.) Concert Orchestra, succeeding Henri Sokolov. Powers was scholarship pupil of Bernhardt Lastemann for four years at the Chicago Musical College and has had wide experience as a conductor of symphony orchestras in Chicago, Des Moines, Iowa and other Midwest cities.

Powers issued an appeal for more instrumentation in the orchestra and stated that anyone who can play any instrument is invited to join the group. He is seeking buyers of string instruments, obe, trumpet, trombone, drums, saxophone and bass instruments.

The orchestra meets for rehearsals Tuesday evenings at 8 o'clock in the social room of the elementary school.

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chapter in debate, provides a vehicle for quorum calls and roll calls. All that consumes time, and time is what wins a fiibuster.

When the anti-poll tax bill was last before the Senate, (Nov. 13-Nov. 23, 1942), opponents of the bill used every delaying tactic in the book, including a call of the legislative calendar and reading of the journal.

Cloture was attempted, but the motion to cut off debate received less than a majority vote (it requires two-thirds). Rather than consume more time in debate, Senate Majority Leader Barkley called off the fight.

WACS Overcome Rush For Easter Flowers

Allied Headquarters, Italy, April 6 (AP).—The Wacs have come to the rescue of the post exchange six weeks behind on the flood of orders from American soldiers for flowers to be delivered to mothers and best girls back home on Easter morning.

On learning the exchange had been forced to turn down late orders, Lieut. Consuelor Doggett of Goldsboro, N. C., brought in 24 Wac spare-time typicsts, who turned out 19,000 orders in one week before they broke the bottleneck.

Alexandria Court Will Hear Drunk-Driving Case April 18

Alexandria Bureau of The Post, 110 North St. Asaph St. ALex 1441.

A motion for continuation of the case of Mrs. Bowman McCalla MacArthur, 32, charged with driving while under the influence of liquor, has been granted by Judge James Reece Duncan of the Alexandria Civil and Police Court, it was announced yesterday by her lawyers, J. Randolph Davis and J. Randall Caton.

The hearing, scheduled yesterday, has been postponed until Tuesday, April 18, at 9:30 a. m. because certain witnesses were unavailable and more time is required to assemble the facts bearing on the case, Davis said.

It was understood that Mrs. MacArthur, wife of the general's nephew, who police said was involved in an accident with an Alexandria police squad car within an hour after her husband left for Army duty on March 29, was under a physician's care previous to the accident and that the doctor was unable to appear in court yesterday as he was scheduled to perform an operation.

Davis also said Caton expected to contact Dr. Roy H. Case, Alexandria chiropractor who was with the MacArthurs on the afternoon of the accident, as a possible witness.

Both Dr. Case and the Rev. Norman Roberts, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, were with the selectees and their families at the Alexandria postoffice for roll call and Union Station to see the men off when MacArthur left with the group of 38 registrants for Fort George G. Meade, Md. The train, due at 2:30, did not arrive until 3:15 p. m., and Mrs. MacArthur was with the well-wishers until the newly inducted men left, she said.

She was reported by police to have been in a collision with a police squad car driven by Pvt. John W. Varney, 29, at the intersection of King and Pitt sts., at 4 o'clock, and was held in the Alexandria stationhouse cell block from 4:10 to 6:40 p. m., when she was released under $500 bond after being charged with driving while under the influence of liquor.

Day Care Class Opens

Through arrangements made by Miss Nena DeBerry, supervisor of elementary education in Alexandria, the day care class at Jefferson School annex, 1400 Cameron st., opened yesterday for the Easter holidays. The program is continuing over the weekend through Tuesday, April 11, with hours from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Two teachers are in charge each day to supervise educational and recreational activities, and a hot lunch is served to the children at noon. Miss DeBerry and her secretary, Miss Florence Perkinson, who now have their offices in the new school board building, 207 South Patrick st., are accepting further enrollments of children for day care during the Easter holidays by telephone at Alexandria 4656.

Fees areas follows: $1.25 per day for children who have not been attending the day-care group, but who need holiday care; $1.25 per day for children who have attended only on Saturdays; $1 as an extra fee for the children who have attended during the afternoons from 3:45 to 5:30 and on Saturdays, and 50 cents as an extra fee for those attending on half days and Saturdays.

Miss Perkinson announced that the weekly fees have been raised to the following scale; $5 for half days and Saturdays with lunches included; $2.50 for afternoons and Saturdays with lunches included; $1.25 for Saturday only with lunch included, and $3.75 for five half days a week without attendance on Saturday.

Reclassified in Draft

One Alexandria policeman and two engine operators in the Alexandria Fire Department were reclassified in 1-A by the Selective Service Board after passing preinduction physical examinations in Richmond, Va., on Wednesday.

The men who were included in the group of 87 registrants from Alexandria under 26 years of age, were: Pvt. Robert J. Schwarz, 25, of 114 South Fayette st., policeman who was accepted by the Army; Stephen W. Davis of 822 King st., operator with Truck and Engine Company No. 1 of the Alexandria Fire Department, who was accepted by the Army; and Roger W. Walker of 406 North Payne st., operator with Columbia Engine and Motor Company No. 4, who was accepted by the Navy.

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Maryland GOP Factions in Row

League Charges Tait Shifts From Bricker To Dewey Support

Baltimore, April 6 (AP).—The Maryland Republican League charged today that Galen L. Tait, chairman of the State Central Republican Committee, "is trying to jump on the Dewey bandwagon" in the wake of Wendell L. Willkie's announcement he would make no further attempt to gain the Republican presidential nomination.

Tait and Baltimore's mayor, Theodore R. McKeldin, said last night they had conferred with Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York earlier this week and had assured him that there was a strong support for him in the Free State.

Dewey has reiterated he is not an aspirant for the nomination, but has not said he would refuse it.

Headquarters Planned

Meanwhile, Harry O. Levin, Baltimore attorney who was the first Republican leader in the State to campaign openly for Dewey, said today he welcomed the support of Tait and McKeldin.

Levin, a former State senator and chairman of the State Tax Commission and political adviser to the late Gov. Harry W. Nice, has been conducting for about eight months a weekly radio program in support of Dewey.

He said today he planned to open Dewey-for-President headquarters in Baltimore shortly, probably within a week, and that the campaign would otherwise be intensified. Levin said he had undertaken the drive on his own initiative, and did not have Dewey's specific approval.

Tait Shift Charged

President John H. McFaul, jr., of the Maryland Republican League, charged in a prepared statement that Tait had promised his support to Governor John W. Bricker of Ohio and had also conferred earlier with Willkie supporters.

"Everyone knows that the real Dewey man in Maryland is and has been Harry O. Levin, who has been plugging for 36 weeks on the radio for Dewey," McFaul declared. "Mr. Levin tried many times to get Tait and McKeidin to go along with Dewey but they absolutely refused. They could not see Dewey as the logical candidate.

"Harry O. Levin was out on the firing line battling for Dewey when others were silent and were refusing to commit themselves. Now Tait, in his usual fashion, is trying to steal the show and credit from another to whom it is rightfully due."

Factions at Odds

McFaul is aligned with the Republican faction of Paul Robertson, Baltimore City central committee chairman, which has frequently been at odds with the Tait-McKeldin faction.

Meanwhile, the party's presidential preference primary continued as a somewhat confusing contest between a vote for Willkie or a vote for an uninstructed delegation to the national convention.

Willkie was the only person to file in the primary, and although he has ceased to be an active candidate, his name cannot be removed from the ballot because the deadline for withdrawals passed 30 days before the May 1 primary.

The delegation, however, even if instructed, need not vote for a man if the delegates conscientiously think he has no chance to win the nomination.

Md. Poultry Raisers Seek Price Relief

No Profits

Baltimore, April 6 (AP).—Eastern Shore poultry interests, complaining that the wholesale ceiling price on live chickens is so low that they are unable to operate at a profit, today asked Senator George L. Radcliffe to intercede in their behalf.

Meanwhile Clarence Sturm, price specialist for the Maryland OPA, reported that the complaints of the wholesalers and retailers had been sent to the regional office in New York along with recommendations for some adjustment in price.

Wholesalers in New York are permitted to pay 1-cent more per pound than is allowed in Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington.

This differential, dealers asserted, is diverting virtually all shipments from producers on the Eastern Shore and the Delaware peninsula to New York.

The shortage in the Baltimore markets was so acute today that dealers predicted an Easter poultry supply from 50 to 60 per cent below that of a normal week, and most of them contended that the situation would become worse.

Two Aides Named To Area Command

Baltimore, April 6 (AP).—Col. Howard S. Paddock of Annandale, Va., has been named signal officer for the Third Service Command and Maj. Frank B. Crider of Bethesda, Md., has been made deputy director of supply, command headquarters reported today.

Colonel Paddock, a native of Gloversville, N. Y., has served in the Army since 1917. In the First War he was stationed at Camp Devens, Mass., and in this war he has served as signal officer for an air force organization during an attack on Midway. In 1943, he was with allied headquarters in Algiers.

Major Crider, a native of Paducah, Ky., received his degree from John Hopkins University in 1925, and was formerly with the General Electric Co. in Washington, D. C.

Two Md. Soldiers Killed in Action

By the Associated Press

The War Department announced yesterday that two Marylanders have been reported killed in action in the Mediterranean area.

They are Pvt. John R. Hughes, husband of Mrs. Wilda Hughes, Corriganville, and Second Lieut. Charles L. Sharrer, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Sharrer, Emmitsburg.

Four Marylanders have been wounded in action in the Mediterranean area.

They are: Pfc. Carlton E. Heyser, husband of Mrs. Ruth N. Heyser of Bethesda; pfc. Ernest W. Ruark, son of Robert Ruark of Rhodesdale; Pfc. Deforest M. See, son of Mrs. Virgie E. See of Cumberland, and Pfc. James E. Stuller, son of Mrs. Hanna G. Stuller of Westminster.

More Clients Sought For Frozen Locker Plan

Manassas, Va., April 6 (Spl.).—Advance rentals for approximately one-third of the proposed 500 lockers of the Four-County Frozen Locker Cooperative have been collected, according to John Y. Roseberry, manager of the Prince William Electric Cooperative.

Roseberry, added it will be necessary to obtain rentals on 60 per cent of the proposed locker capacity, these payments to be held in escrow until the plant is put into operation, before permission to begin construction of the plant may be obtained from the War Production Board.

Paroles Considered For Two Md. Lifers

Annapolis, Md., April 6 (AP).—The State parole board today ordered the cases of Claude F. Dobbs and Thomas J. Foran, convicted by the Baltimore City Criminal Court of the first-degree murder of an East Baltimore jeweler in 1924, continued for further consideration.

Dobbs and Foran and two others had been convicted of the shooting of Louis Cohen during a holdup 20 years ago and are serving life sentences in the Maryland penitentiary.

Two Youths Caught Riding in Stolen Car

Winchester, Va., April 6 (Spl.).—Two juveniles who escaped Monday from the Bayonne (N. J.) Parental School, hitched rides to Winchester and stole a local man's automobile. They were apprehended when they drove past the city police station.

Emmert A. Boyce, owner of the car, had just arrived at the station to report the theft when he saw the car go by. Officer Smallwood took up the chase and overtook the two 15-year-old youngsters.

Auto Insurance Firm In Receiver's Hands

Baltimore, April 5 (AP).—Approximately 42,000 Maryland motor vehicle owners were forced to seek new insurance to continue business today as National Lloyds, Inc., went into the hands of a receiver.

Hazelton A. Joyce, deputy insurance commissioner, said, however, that the insurance company had assets sufficient to cover claims and to return unearned premiums to policyholders.

Collie Donates Blood For Cocker Spaniel

Fort Eustis, Va., April 6 (AP).—Daisy Mae, diminutive cocker spaniel, is frisky and able to sit up for a piece of sirloin all because Patrick Strauss, big brown and white collie, stepped to the fore as a blood doner.

Daisy Mae, six months old, developed internal hemorrhages following an operation and, when her condition became critical, Patrick Strauss was rushed to the Fort Eustis dog pound, and 30 cubic centimeters of his blood drawn and transferred to the arteries of the little dog.

Pat, as the post's first canine blood donor, is being nominated by the veterinarian for a medal.

Maryland Has 7 Men On U. S. Vegetable Units

By the Associated Press

Maryland's vegetable processing industry is represented on six of the seven national advisory committees named by the War Food Administration and the Office of Price Administration.

The Maryland Agricultural War Board anounced yesterday that the State's representatives are R. D. Cleveland, Baltimore, on string beans committee; C. B. Torsch, Baltimore, lima beans; James H. Shriver, Westminster, sweet corn; S. Charles Walls, sr., Cambridge, peas; Ralph S. Brown, Snow Hill, and W. T. Gibbs, Baltimore, tomatoes and tomato products.

Dental Programs to Start

Cumberland, Md., April 6 (AP).—Allegany County's dental program will be inaugurated in the public and parochial schools April 11, Dr. Karl W. Kolb, director of the school dental program, reported.

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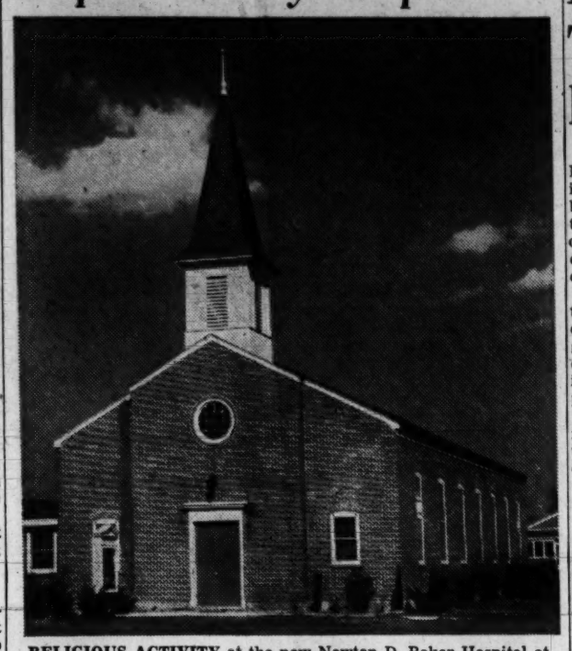
Chapel at Army Hospital



RELIGIOUS ACTIVITY at the new Newton D. Baker Hospital at Martinsburg, W. V., is an important part of life at the Army hospital. To the chapel pictured above come men who have been too long too close to death. They seek solace from a Protestant chaplain and a Catholic chaplain. A rabbi comes from Hagerstown, Md., weekly to serve men of Jewish faith

Freeze Called Beneficial to Fruit Crops

Baltimore, April 6 (AP).—Meteorologist Joseph Bily of the Baltimore Weather Bureau reported today that subfreezing temperatures of the last few days benefited Maryland fruit crops and did no damage to early gardens.

Bily and crop specialists at the University of Maryland said the cold weather was beneficial in that it retarded still further the opening of peach buds.

A freeze came much later last year, virtually wiping out the peach crop and materially reducing the apple harvest.

Bily said freezing temperatures are over for the time being, forecast fair and warmer weather.

In the Eastern panhandle apple-producing belt of West Virginia, no damage was found because fruit men said that buds were not sufficiently advanced. Martinsburg reported a minimum of 27 at the height of the storm.

Virginian Badly Hurt When Struck by Auto

Martinsburg, W. Va., April 6.—Clyde Preston Borden, 28, of Wheatfield, Va., is in a local hospital seriously injured when struck by an automobile on U. S. Route 11 near Ridgeway, south of this city, late Tuesday night. Among his injuries is a compound fracture of his left leg which, it was stated, may necessitate amputation.

Borden was struck by a car driven by Henry A. Alger of Hagerstown, Md., investigating State police said. Borden was a passenger in a truck which had stopped for repairs and he was trying to flag down Alger's car when he was struck. Alger told police he did not see Borden until the car was close upon him. He swerved the machine but Borden, attempting to get out of the way, jumped into its path.

Court Charges $25 For Impersonation

Richmond, Va., April 6 (AP).—Carl J. Nelson, a former Fredericksburg resident now employed at Long Island, N. Y., was fined $25 today in Federal District Court by Judge Robert N. Pollard on a charge of impersonating an FBI agent.

Nelson testified he believed he was under the influence of liquor when he told a Western Union operator he was a Government agent in order to get a money order wired to his wife quickly.

Sen. Ball to Address Md. Club Federation

Baltimore, April 6 (AP).—Senator Joseph H. Ball (R., Minn.) will address the forty-fifth annual convention of the Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs in Baltimore April 17.

Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, president of the general federation, will be the guest of honor at the dinner.

The junior clubs will hold a conference on April 16 at which Miss Grace Alder, supervisor of elementary schools. State department of education, will speak.

Woman Named Deputy Sheriff of County

Keyser, W. Va., April 6 (Spl.).—Mrs. Margaret Clary was appointed deputy sheriff by the Mineral County Court to succeed Glen C. Smith, who was inducted into the Army April 1. Her work will largely be confined to that of office deputy.

Samuel S. Smith was appointed a commissioner of the court, succeeding Harry H. Martin, who died March 18.

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Va. Rum Sales Show Upturn In February

Richmond, Va., April 6 (AP).—February sales of two of the three rum items on the four-fifths a month ratoin basis amounted to $623,170, or 21 percent of the $2,964,600 business of the State Liquor Board during the month, ABC officials said today.

These rum sales accounted for 14.8 per cent of the total gallonage for the month. The third item on the liberalized list also sold well.

Almost 40,000 galons was sold in an 80-proof bourbon, a large supply of which the board was able to obtain. These sales amounted to $430,000.

Together the two rums and the bourbon accounted for more than $1,000,000 or more than one-third of total sales.

The three rum items which were on the four-fifths a month basis through February and March have now been taken off the ration list altogether, while imported brandies and gins have been doubled in coupon value since April 1.

Darden's Father, 76, Becomes Bridegroom

Old Point Comfort, Va., April 6 (AP).—Colgate Whitehead Darden, sr., of Franklin, the father of Governor Darden, and Mrs. Jennie Bryant Person of Boykins, were married last night at the home of the groom's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Darden.

Darden's first wife, the former Miss Katherine Pretlow, died in 1936. The groom is 76 and the bride is 57.

Farm Labor Declared Ample in Clarke County

Berryville, Va., April 6 (Spl.).—J. W. Olcott, assistant county agent, told members of the Chamber of Commerce at their regular meeting here this week that farm labor in the county is sufficient for the present needs. He said that school children, teachers and vacationists should provide sufficient help this summer without seeking outside sources.

Joseph L. Conroy

Barton, Md., April 6.—Services were held today for Joseph L. Conroy, 71, brother of Postmaster Patrick Conroy, who died unexpectedly. He was one of the few remaining blacksmiths. Mr. Conroy was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church, Westernport, and the Holy Name Society. His wife and three children survive.

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Adresses by

U. S. Senator James E. Murray, Co-Author Wagner-Murray-Dingell Bill; Joseph W. Mountin, M.D., U. S. Public Health Service; Harvey B. Stone, M.D., American Medical Association; Robert Lamb, CIO.

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Minute Men To Be Put on Reserve List

Annapolis, Md., April 6 (AP).—Maryland Minute Men companies in several sections of the State will be placed on the reserve list and transferred to replace vacancies occurring through Selective Service calls among the State Guard, Governor O'Conor announced today.

O'Conor said the move "is not to be interpreted as a general discharge of the Minute Men organization, but is decided upon to enable the State Guard companies in particular areas to increase their personnel to authorized strength."

Companies affected by the transfer to the State Guard are from the Eastern Shore and Anne Arundel County, the Governor added, stating that the State Guard commanders had been ordered to give a preferred status for enrollment in the guard to Minute Men.

The Governor said that "certain of the dangers which confronted the State when the Minute Men organization was affected had seemingly passed and that in the particular area affected, the units could be placed on inactive status."

Richmond Opens Rabbit Exhibit To Spur Interest

Richmond, Va., April 6 (AP)—Myriad point-free rabbits increasing in numbers by the hour were being brought in for exhibit in the Richmond Rabbit Breeders Association which opened a three-day show designed to stimulate interest in domestic rabbit raising.

Gray chinchillas, checker giants, New Zealand red and white rabbits, Belgians, silver martins, Flemish giants and other types were entered in the show.

W. M. White, jr., secretary of the association, said that "rabbit fever" has hit a lot of Richmonders who find that the meat is delicious to eat and the pelts bring a good monetary return. "Rabbits may not be intelligent animals, but they've got more sense than chickens," White commented.

Interest in rabbit raising has been heightened because the meat is point free, the animals easy to handle, and constitute a "quick meat," since they can be used for eating when only six or eight weeks old.

Holdup-Killer Gets Life Term

Martinsville, Va., April 6 (AP).—Judge J. T. Clement, presiding in Henry County Circuit Court, yesterday sentenced Cager Lee Kilby, 32, to life imprisonment in the State penitentiary after he was convicted of first-degree murder in the death of David A. Craig, 85, last January 4 north of Basset. Judge Clement also passed sentence of 40 years, to run concurrently, after Kilby had entered a plea of guilty to a charge of having robbed the aged man of $49.95.

Commonwealth's Attorney W. R. Broaddus, jr., sought the death penalty and in a summation of the evidence the prosecutor contended that Kilby followed Craig to an unoccupied farm house, struck him down and robbed him.

The aged man died January 6 in a Henry County Hospital.

Produce Men Unite To Cooperate With OPA

Norfolk, Va., April 6 (AP).—Produce dealers and brokers of Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News last night organized the Tri-City Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable Association with the objective of cooperating with the Office of Price Administration in maintaining "uniform prices at the lowest possible levels in this particular area."

Austin Battaglib was elected president of the association along with the following other officers: George Moss, vice president; R. H. Friedman, treasurer, and H. A. Barker, acting secretary.

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Monticello Pilgrimage to End Jefferson Bicentennial Rites

Charlottesville, Va., April 6 (Spl.).—The observance of Thomas Jefferson's bicentennial year, begun last April 13, on the 200th anniversary of his birth, will be brought to a close on his birthday this year with a pilgrimage to Monticello by members of the National Agriculture Jefferson Bicentenary Committe.

The committee, created by a joint resolution of Congress in recognition of Jefferson's contribution to agriculture, is headed by Claude R. Wickard, Secretary of Agriculture, who will be one of a number of speakers at Monticello on the 13th.

Other members of the executive committee are Senators Harry F. Byrd and Elbert D. Thomas and Representatives John W. Flannagan, jr., Clifford R. Hope and Richard M. Kleberg, and the chairman of subcommittees representing the various phases of the committee's program. The late Senator Charles McNary, of Oregon, was also a member of the executive committee.

Among a number of projects which the committee has under consideration for the future is the conversion of Monticello and adjacent lands once owned by Jefferson into a national monument and its use as an agricultural experiment station.

Everett E. Edwards, senior agricultural historian of the Agriculture Department's division of statistical and historical research, is here making arrangements for the pilgrimage.

The day's program will include a tour of the grounds of the University of Virginia by the committee, participation in the National Farm and Home Radio Hour, which will be broadcast at 12:30 o'clock from Monticello, including memorial exercises at Jefferson's tomb.

The topic of Secretary Wickard's address at Monticello will be "Jefferson and Democracy Today." Other speakers will be Herbert A. Kellar, director of the McCormick Historical Association, Chicago, "Living Agriculture Museums;" Dr. Edwin M. Betts, University of Virginia professor of biology, "The Gardens at Monticello;" Prof. James E. Ward, department of economics and government at Clemson College, S. C., "The Farming Activities at Monticello in Jefferson's Time;" Dr. Hugh H. Bennett, chief of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, "Soil Conservation at Shadwell in Jefferson's Time and Later;" and Stuart G. Gibboney, president of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation, "The Mansion at Monticello and the Work of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation."

The Charlottesville-Albermarle Chamber of Commerce is planning a picnic luncheon for the committee members making the pilgrimage, to be served following the Farm and Home Radio Hour broadcast.

Reckord Estate Must Pay $21,840 To Housekeeper

Baltimore, April 6 (AP).—Damages totaling $21,840 were ordered today to be paid L. Grace Dinnis of Towson for services over a 13-year period to the late Walter P. Reckord, former Towson newspaper publisher.

The verdict against the Reckord estate was returned by a Baltimore County jury last night after a three-day trial before Judge Howard Murray.

Testimony disclosed that Miss Dinnis had worked as general housekeeper and secretary for the Towson publisher from 1929 until 1942. She claimed that she had not been paid for her services, which Reckord was quoted as evaluating at $30,000.

Aberdeen Bandleader Promoted to Major

Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., April 6 (AP).—Capt. Leonard J. Yuska of Hudson, Iowa, has been promoted to major in recognition of his work as range officer of the Aberdeen Ordnance Replacement Training Center, officials announced today.

A graduate of the University of Iowa, he was employed by a Des Moines consulting engineer before being called to active duty here. While assigned to the ordnance replacement training center as adjutant of the Sixth Battalion, he organized the battalion band, now known as the 32d Army Service Forces Band.

Berryville Council To Lose Dr. Tappan

Berryville, Va., April 6 (Spl.).—All except one incumbent official have filed petitions of candidacy for the town election here on June 6. Roy E. Potts will seek the council post of Dr. Frank E. Tappan who has announced that he will not seek reelection.

The other incumbents are: Leonard H. Bell, mayor; G. Kenneth Levi, recorder; R. L. Fowler, D. Blanton Allen and L. N. Russell, councilmen.

Third Company To Drill for Oil In Lee County

St. Charles, Va., April 6 (AP).—Lee County is in a state of oil boom in at least a modest degree with the announcement that a third oil company plans to start drilling immediately.

Fain Gillock, Washington, D. C., is the latest arrival to begin staking off properties for drilling, and has been leasing acreage for some months. He plans to start drilling five test wells within the next few weeks.

Henry Ball of Irving, Ky., who has 48 producing wells in Texas, Oklahoma and Kentucky, has begun moving his equipment into the Rose Hill section for test wells on his leases.

Henry B. Fitch, in charge of drilling for the pioneer interest which has already struck three producing wells and one natural gas well, is now drilling his own test well and is down 1900 feet.

Manassas Kiwanians To Fete 40 Farmers

Manassas, Va., April 6 (Spl.).—Rededication to the war production effort will be pledged at a special farmers' night program sponsored by the Manassas Kiwanis Club at the Prince William Hotel here on Friday evening.

Forty farmers will be guests at the supper program, which is being arranged by Albert H. Roseberry, chairman of the agricultural committee of the club. The guest speaker will be C. T. Rice, Fairfax County. A special entertainment program for the evening is planned by G. Raymond Ratcliffe.

Farm Group to Meet

Winchester, Va., April 6.—The first meeting of the Frederick County Farm Labor Committee will be held tomorrow night at the courthouse when H. L. Duton, State supervisor, emergency farm labor, will outline plans being adopted in other sections to cope with the expected labor shortage.

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The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Ickes Will Discipline Bureau Chief as Unfair

Interior Secretary Harold Ickes will discipline one of his bureau chiefs for "unfair and prejudicial conduct toward a minor employe."

That's news in Government. The small fry usually takes the rap when anything goes wrong. And contrary to popular belief, the small fry is seldom given a chance to give his side of the case and all too frequently he's eased out of his job if he even tries. But it seems to be different at Interior. Here's what happened: The Secretary received an anonymous letter from a clerk who claimed that he and others were being maltreated by a bureau chief. The writer listed his grievances. In just about every other high office in Government a letter of this sort would have been tossed into the wastebasket and the writer labeled a "crank." But Ickes ordered the matter investigated. The writer was identified and his charges were supported. Now the chief will be disciplined.

In discussing the case, Secretary Ickes repeated several times that "any employe with a grievance can see me at any time. My door is always open." He promised a fair investigation of all charges. This attitude is commendable and it makes for better Government. The net effect of it all will be that very few, if any, employes will have to take their cases to the Secretary, as the supervisors and bureau chiefs will make certain that the people under them are treated fairly. No chief likes to be exposed by a clerk. And it would be wonderful if Ickes' "open door" policy was adopted by officials throughout the Federal service, especially personnel directors. It's easier to see the Secretary in some departments than it is the personnel directors, and yet these people are supposed to solve employe problems.

Ickes also explained that he never fired anyone unless he gave that employe a chance to answer charges made against him. He believes that "substantial justice" will be done if the accused are given every reasonable opportunity to defend themselves. He doubts seriously, however, if the accused should be faced with his accuser. That proposal, he said, "raises a difficult question" as he believes few charges would be made if the person making those charges had to face and be subjected to cross-examination by the accused. In taking that stand, Ickes gave a degree of approval to the investigative practices of the Civil Service Commission, which are now under attack by the widest range of elements, from the Dies Committee to the New York newspaper PM, and conservative and liberal members of Congress. The whole matter may be investigated by a Senate committee.

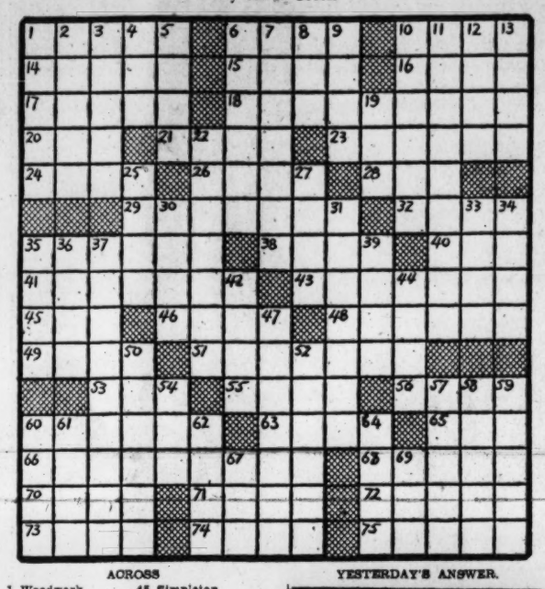
Reacting to the pressure, the commission yesterday released a memo in which it again explained the system it followed in making personnel investigations. It said it had taken a good deal of time and money to make certain that the employe's side was "completely and fully" developed, and it said that it must assume the responsibility for determining the credibility of testimony given by witnesses. It doesn't have the power of subpena and that it could not gather evidence adequately if it insisted that the person giving the derogatory information be made to repeat the charges to the accused employe. It insists that it is "absolutely impossible" to surround the voluntary applicant for employment with the same safeguards that surrounds him when he is on trial in a court of law. The commission says the same procedure is used by the FBI, Postoffice, and Treasury in personnel inquiries.

The commission repeats that "working for the Government is not a right but a privilege," and that any reasonable doubt as to the individual's loyalty to his Government must, particularly in time of war, be "resolved in favor of the Government." Frankly, I can't see some of the charges that are being made against the commission's investigative procedure, but I'll be the first to say that reputations have been damaged by the commission. But it isn't the system, it's some of the stupid and narrow-minded people in the investigations division. The commission should make certain that it has cleaned up this division as a first step in improving its investigations system. The procedure is of secondary importance.

Robert Hannegan, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, now passes on all top appointments in the Federal service. No appointment is supposed to be sent to the Senate for confirmation unless it has his okay. . . . Some War Department employes claim they still haven't received war bonds that they paid for in 1942. Purchase records of many of the bonds apparently are missing. Meantime, it's reported, the department's war bond division, now in Chicago, is slated for another reshuffling. General Accounting Office officials are working with the office on a new system. The Chicago office has done a good job in recent months. . . . Office of Price Administration employe now are given a monthly accounting of their accumulated annual leave. . . . National Labor Relations Board employes aren't paid overtime for work over 48 hours. The agency hasn't the money.

Today's Cross Word Puzzle

By A. I. Green



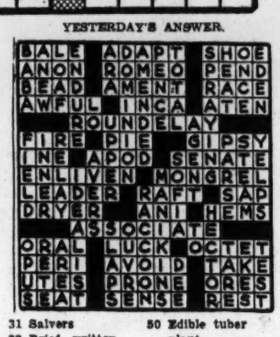
ACROSS

1 Woodwork frame
6 Cluster of threads
10 Food at a sitting
14 Overhead
15 Kind of knife
16 Tropical fruit
17 Nostrils
18 Deciduous
20 Dogma
21 Carry
23 Disfigured
24 Conversation
26 Sino-Jap homeland
28 Wet, spongy ground
29 Recounts
32 Ripped
35 Screech
38 Progeny
40 As well
41 Cakes of curded milk
43 Learned
45 Simpleton
46 Lofty
48 Uttered
49 Journey
51 Female feline
53 Acme
55 Financially embarrassed
56 A pile
60 Sofa
63 Fine, slushy ice
65 Sleeveless Arabian garment
66 Sets of three
68 Sacrificial stand
70 Am not, illiterately
71 Winged, in heraldry
72 Enlarged, esculent roots
73 Asiatic shrub
74 Medieval rulers of Tunis
75 Accede

DOWN

1 Frantic terror
2 Discomfit
3 Heroine of Bellini opera
4 Mother of mankind
5 For fear that
6 Nagana fly
7 Uncovers
8 Price
9 Semester
10 Looking-glass
11 Forceful
12 Awry: dial.
13 Solid earth surface
19 Prate
22 Porridge
25 Woody plant
27 On the sheltered side
30 The Orient
31 Salvers
33 Brief, written message
34 Driven obliquely, as a nail
35 Briton
36 Scorch
37 Preparing for use again
39 Twosomes
42 Woman's apparel
44 Platter
47 Without fixity
50 Edible tuber plant
52 Cacophonies
54 Write
57 Consumer
58 Moderate
59 Resolve speech into elements
60 Pierce
61 Silk from the Assam silkworm
62 Minced oath
64 Spanish bean
67 Falsification
69 Limb

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.



Fairfax Raises Pay $100 Each For Teachers

Salaries of teachers in Fairfax County (Va.) schools next term will be increased $100 for the term, Superintendent of Schools Wilbert T. Woodson said yesterday, following assurance given by the county board of supervisors that it would appropriate a minimum of $6000 from State ABC profit funds and wine tax receipts to be received by the county during the next fiscal year.

The supervisors agreed to allot this sum, on motion of Supervisor B. N. Gibson, to the school board, after considering a board request that State funds from the excess ABC profits and wine tax be appropriated for school purposes.

Budget Estimate Asked

On motion of Supervisor Herbert Blunt, the supervisors will request the school board to submit a supplementary budget listing expenditures necessary for proposed school buildings and improvements, with the view in mind of acting favorably on the board's request for additional appropriations.

The supervisors yesterday appointed a board of fire commissioners, which will make a study of the needs of the various volunteer fire companies in the county, and make recommendations to the board of supervisors, relative to expenditures required out of the county fire levy fund and other matters pertaining to local fire protection.

The board was appointed on motion of Blunt, following a protest from a delegation representing the Fairfax County Firemen's Association, headed by John Carper, president of the association, against a proposed increase in the appropriation for the auxiliary fire departments.

Trailer Park Delay

Members of the new board, appointed by Chairman G. Wallace Carper, are Dewitt Crickenberger, Vienna, representing the County Firemen's Association; David L. Tucker, Forestville, representing the auxiliary fire departments; Herbert Blunt, representing the supervisors, and State Senator Andrew W. Clarke, Belle Haven, and W. French Fleming, Lorton, representing the citizens' group.

The supervisors postponed final action on adoption of three proposed amendments to the county trailer park ordinance, until a proposed revision of the entire ordinance can be submitted to the board for consideration, recommended by a special committee, consisting of Commonwealth's Attorney Hugh B. Marsh, Capt. Carl H. McIntosh, chief of police; Dr. Nelson Podolnick, county health director, and Supervsior Blunt.

Tuberculosis Hospital Fund Asked by Group in Arlington

Inclusion of a $50,000 appropriation in the Arlington County budget for next year as the county's share in the cost of constructing a 50-bed tuberculosis sanitarium for the Arlington, Fairfax and Alexandria area was asked by officials of the County Tuberculosis Association at the annual budget hearing Wednesday night.

Dr. Charles Cake, president, and Dr. Ivan A. Booker, vice president of the Association, stressed the immediate need for additional tubercular facilities in the northern Virginia section, and declared Arlington's share of the cost would be about $14,000.

The hearing followed the recent presentation of the budget to the county board by County Manager Frank C. Hanrahan. The manager's budget called for a total expenditure of $3,699,658.39 and a retention of the present county tax rate.

The County Chamber of Commerce, through its executive secretary, asked for an extension of the county's public library system, and urged that the $19,720 allotment provided in the budget be enlarged to $30,000.

Hill declared that on a basis of American Library Association figures, the present appropriation for libraries is exceptionally low. The association has set $1 per capita as a standard, he said, but Arlington's allotment averages only about 16 cents.

M. P. Devine of the Arlington Firemen's Association asked that the appropriation for the fire departments be increased to provide for additional training and fire fighting equipment. C. J. Pfeil of Foxcroft Heights, a Washington fireman, stressed the need for a training tower in the county, and declared the $12,000 provided in the $138,755 budget for the fire companies for the purchase of new equipment would not "scratch the surface" of the county fire-fighting needs.

A resolution of the County Civic Federation calling for the fixing of salaries of teachers, police and firemen on a par with those paid in Washington was read by Comdr. George E. King.

The Danube River is 1740 miles long and flows through seven countries.

War Bond Sales Talk Comes Home to Roost

Wichita, Kans. (AP).—The enthusiastic Boy Scout war bond salesman, calling house-to-house, learned that the fellow to whom he had just sold a bond was Harold H. Baker, chief Scout executive of Wichita.

"Oh, gee, chief," said the youngster, "I'm sure glad to meetcha. I got your instructions on how to sell war bonds!"

The Gallup Poll

Willkie, Dewey Both Popular Among Florida GOP Voters

Princeton, N. J., April 6.—While the majority of voters in Florida today prefer President Roosevelt as the Democratic candidate in November, Wendell Willkie and Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York are equal in popularity among those who select a Republican candidate.

(Editor's note—The Florida survey was made before Willkie announced his withdrawal as a candidate.)

Of the 66 per cent in Florida who pick a Democratic candidate as their preference for the Presidency in 1944, by far the greatest number name President Roosevelt—53 per cent of the total vote.

Among the 34 per cent who name a Republican as their preference, Wendell Willkie and Governor Dewey each receive the same proportion of the vote—12 per cent of the total.

These facts are shown in an intensive cross-section survey of Florida's voters. Each person interviewed was handed a card containing the names of those frequently mentioned as possible candidates in both parties, and was asked to name the one man he would like to see as the next President of the United States.

On the basis of those who select a Republican, the popularity of the possible Republican candidate is shown as follows:

Republican Preferences	
Willkie	12%
Dewey	12
MacArthur	5
Bricker	3
Stassen	2
	34%

Following is a tabulation of replies given by those who name a Democrat as their preference for President:

Democratic Preferences	
Roosevelt	53%
Byrnes	4
Byrd	3
Wallace	3
McNutt	1
Farley	1
	66%

The question still remains, of course, whether the candidates actually named at the conventions to carry the Democratic and Republican banners this November will be able to win the entire vote now going to other candidates in their party.

Two Montgomery Churches to Hold Services Today

Three Hours' services will be conducted today as Good Friday devotions in two Montgomery County (Md.) Catholic Churches, in Silver Spring and Bethesda.

The services will be held at St. Michael's Church, Silver Spring, from 12 until 3 p. m., under the sponsorship of Court Forest Gelen, Catholic Daughters of America. The Rev. Matthew Hanley of the Dominican House of Studies, Brookland, will officiate.

In Bethesda, Our Lady of Lourdes' Church will have a service from 7:30 until 10:30 p. m., when the Rev. John F. Reilly, director of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception at Catholic University, will preach.

Own Wheel Hurts Driver

St. Joseph, Mo. (AP).—J. M. Haden was run over by a wheel from his own car. He was roling it down a hill after having a puncture repaired and the wheel ran away from him. It struck another car and rebounded against Haden, knocking him down and breaking his leg.

Chevy Chase Boy Named Youngest Victory Gardener

The Nation's youngest Victory gardener was cited yesterday by the Department of Agriculture to be 4-year-old James Burgess, 300 Elm st., Chevy Chase, Md., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burgess.

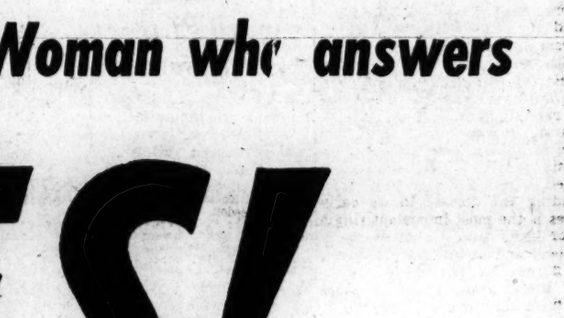
He was named on the Farm and Home Hour radio program as the youngest member of the Victory Garden Corps.

"I'm growing tomatoes this year, because I love them," James said as he showed visitors his seedlings planted in a box in his bedroom. He has a plot in the Bethesda community garden. His sister, Heather, 6 and brother, Pierce, 8, also have Victory garden plots.

In 1850, San Franciscans sent their laundry to Honolulu to be washed.

Mary Queen of Scots became queen of Scotland when only a week old.

A Tradition FOR EASTER



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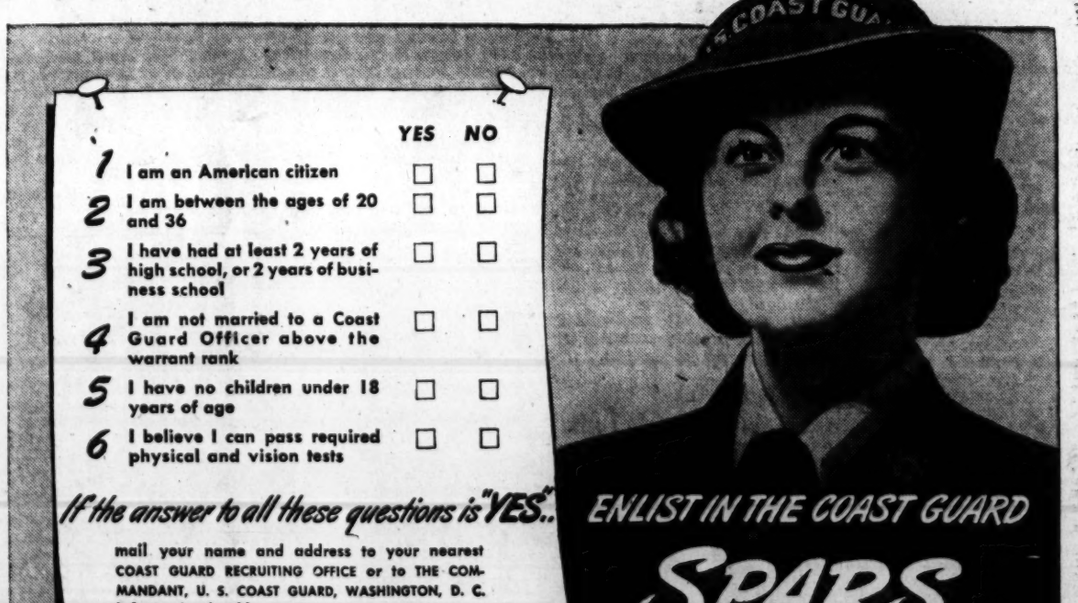
YES NO
1 I am an American citizen
2 I am between the ages of 20 and 36
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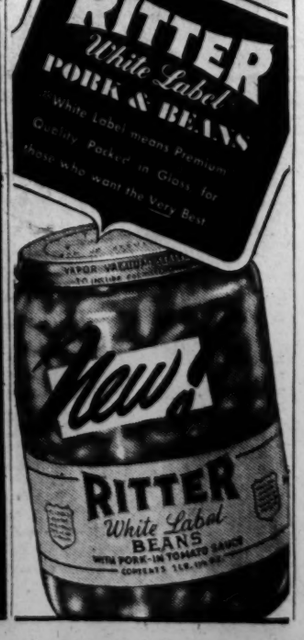

Utter Exhaustion Facing Germany

Will Be Worst In Centuries if War Lasts Year, Says FEA

Mobilized economic strength of the United Nations now is "overwhelmingly greater" than Germany's, the Foreign Economic Administration (FEA) said yesterday, and the Nazis can fight on effectively only at the expense of exhausting the Reich to a point unparalleled in centuries.

"The sheer weight of the Allied striking power in munitions and the materials to make them is so great that—when fully brought to bear in the land, sea and air operations to come—victory is certain," said a statement by Leo T. Crowley, FEA administrator.

Aircraft production by the United Sates, Russia and Great Britain already is four times the German output, Crowley said, and the supply of alloys for steel manufacture in the United States alone is many times as great.

Still Is Powerful

He warned, however, that the Nazis can wage war "toughly" if they are willing to produce an economic collapse in Germany unequalled since the 30 years' war and want "to load terrible economic privations on the German people."

Despite Allied bombings of industrial Germany, the FEA chief continued, the Nazi military machine "is still supported by a powerful war industry."

"The Nazis apparently are determined to gamble away Germany's patrimony on the hope that time and chance are still worth playing for. Another year of this process would produce a crippling of German economic life without parallel for centuries."

"An Agonized Scramble"

Since the German defeat at Stalingrad and after the intensified air attacks started last February, "a good part of the German industrial scene has been an agonized scramble to maintain production.

"It is now apparent that the German defense against air attacks cannot prevent the loss of one priority factory after another, the slowing down of production in the most important and efficient centers of war production, and the loss of millions of man hours."

District Action

Cooperative Enterprises Centralized

Cooperative enterprises in the District, Maryland and Virginia were brought into a more centralized setup yesterday with the incorporation of the Potomac Cooperative Federation under the D. C. Cooperative Act.

HALBERT

Named as officers of the cooperation, which will maintain offices in Greenbelt, Md., and Washington, are Leroy A. Halbert, 1340 Park rd. nw., president, and Helmuth F. Kern, 118 34th st. se., executive secretary; Fed A. De Jaeger, Greenbelt, vice president; Miles W. Eichorn, Baltimore, secretary; and Walter Krimont, Arlington, Va., treasurer.

With the purpose of spurring rapid development of coops in this area, the federation will handle general educational and business activities for the 27 cooperatives now affiliated with it.

Legal, auditing and similar services, as well as sponsorship of new cooperative enterprises will be among its functions.

Plans are now under way for a combined farmer-consumer produce service, a bakery and a regional warehouse. Among the 27 coops serving this area are 9 food stores, 2 gasoline stations and repair shops, a housing cooperative, 2 credit unions and real estate, publishing, movie and beauty parlor cooperatives.

X-Ray Tests Open to All In Arlington

Arlington County residents will be given an opportunity next week to receive chest X-rays for tuberculosis diagnosis as a part of the tuberculosis drive jointly sponsored by the Arlington Tuberculosis Association and the county health department.

All residents of the county will be eligible to take the test at the low rate of 75 cents a person, Dr. Ivan A. Booker, chairman of the drive said. "We believe that tuberculosis should be looked for, not waited for," Dr. Booker said. "Finding the disease in its early stages is the most important single factor in its cure. A chest X-ray is the best and easiest way to detect the germs. No one can afford to take it for granted that he does not have the disease."

Special equipment for rapid mass X-ray will be located at four focal points in the county from April 10 through 16.

The schedule is as follows: Jubal Early Homes at 501 S. 20th st., April 10, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m.; Carver Homes at 13th and Queen sts., April 11, 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.; Washington and Lee High School at 4035 13th st. N., April 12, 1 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.; Clarendon Health Center, April 13, 10 a. m. to 7 p. m., April 14, 7 to 9 p. m., and April 15, 10 a. m. to 12 noon.

Playgrounds Schedule Easter Fetes

The District Recreation Department has arranged Easter parties in every community, to be held throughout Monday, with the exception of Hearst playground, 37th and Tilden sts. nw., where a hike and picnic will be held tomorrow from noon to 5 p. m.

The Monday schedule follows:

Rosedale Playground, 17th and Gale sts ne., marble contests, a hot dog roast, to christen a new outdoor fireplace, and a paper egg hunt and races.

Sherwood Playground, 10th and G sts. ne., Kenilworth, Ord and Kenilworth ne., Takoma, 4th and Van Buren nw., games and contests.

Raymond, 10th and Spring rd. nw., Twin Oaks, 14th and Taylor sts. nw., Park View, Water and Otis sts. nw., Chevy Chase Playground, 41st and Livingston sts. nw., parties and picnics.

Georgetown Playground, 33d and Volta sts. nw., party and contests.

Montrose Park Playground, 30th and R sts. nw., a supervised Easter party all day.

Palisades, Potomac ave. and Weaver pl nw., Langdon Park, 20th and Franklin sts. ne., Easter games and a candy sucker hunt.

Congress Heights, 5th and Nichols ave. se.; Hillcrest, 32d and Alabama sts. se.; Anacostia Park, between 11th and Pennsylvania ave. bridges se.

Hoover Playground, 2d and N sts. sw.; Jefferson, 8th and N sts. sw.

Garfield, 2d and P sts. se.; Virginia Avenue, 9th and Virginia ave. se., general Easter parties.

Two Easter dances will be given by the Women's Batallion at Fort Belvoir, Va., one Friday night, with 100 hostesses; the other, Tuesday, with 150 hostesses. The Women's Battalion is sponsored by District of Columbia Recreation Department and Recreation Services.

Father-to-Be Takes Baby Seriously

Somewhere in New Guinea, (AP). Army psychiatrists in the field are proud of their record with psychoneurotics. At one hospital, 62 per cent of the afflicted have been pronounced cured and returned to front line duty. In most cases, the cure required only a few days.

But one case was different. A soldier, whose wife in the States was expecting a baby, walked into the hospital and announced he was going to have a baby. He went to bed and promptly went through some of the pregnancy symptoms, including morning sickness. He's been there more than a week now. Doctors call it a true case of couvade or neurosis simulating pregnancy.

Soldiers Aid Red Cross

SOLDIERS STATIONED AT FORT BELVOIR presented a check for $20,249.29 to the Fairfax County Red Cross War Fund drive. Left to right, Dick Odum, assistant field director at Fort Belvoir; Col. W. E. Leonard, chairman of the Red Cross War Fund drive for Fairfax County; Brig. Gen. Edwin H. Marks, Commanding General, Fort Belvoir, and Maj. Henry A. Schauffler, chairman of the War Fund drive at Fort Belvoir

Sacrificed Life

Air Hero Gets Medal For Bravery

Posthumous award of the Medal of honor to Maj. Raymond H. Wilkins of Portsmouth, Va., for "conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in aerial action against the enemy at the sacrifice of his own life" was announced by the War Department yesterday.

The medal will be given to his mother, Mrs. Virgil J. Vallier, of Columbia, N. C., when she recovers from an illness.

Wilkins' plane, damaged and out of control, crashed into the sea after he had led his B-25 medium bomber squadron against Japanese shipping in Simpson Harbor near Rabaul, New Britain, on November 2, 1943.

In 22 months of oversea service as a pilot, Wilkins ran up a record of 284 hours of operational combat flying on 87 missions. He had been awarded the Air Medal, the Distinguished Flying Cross with two oak leaf clusters and the Silver Star.

The citation for the Medal of Honor said of the action in which Wilkins died:

"His squadron was the last of three in the group to enter the target area. . . . His airplane was hit almost immediately, the right wing damaged, and control rendered extremely difficult. Although he could have withdrawn he held fast and led his squadron into the attack. He strafed a group of small harbor vessels and then, at low level, attacked an enemy destroyer. His 1000-pound bomb struck squarely amidships causing the vessel to explode. Although antiaircraft fire from this vessel had seriously damaged his left vertical stabilizer, he refused to deviate from the course.

"From below masthead height he attacked a transport of some 9000 tons, scoring a hit which engulfed the ship in flames. Bombs expended, he began to withdraw his squadron.

"A heavy cruiser barred the path. Unhesitatingly, to nuetralize the cruiser's guns and attract its fire, he went in for a strafing run. His damaged stabilizer was completely shot off. To avoid swerving into his wing planes he had to turn so as to expose the belly and the full wing surfaces of his plane to the enemy fire; it caught and crumpled his left wing. Now past control, the bomber crashed into the sea."

Great New U-Boat Fleet Building in Reich, Knox Warns

United States Naval Base, Bermuda, April 6 (AP).—Large-scale renewal of German U-boat attacks on Allied shipping is "possible soon," Secretary of the Navy Knox said here today.

"Germany is now concentrating on building submarines to the virtual exclusion of all other kinds of vessels," Knox declared.

"We have been bombing their installations and factories, but their submarine production has by no means been stopped.

"Thew lill undoubtedly come out in mass soon."

Nazi U-boats have not operated in western Atlantic waters to any extent for months.

A large share in the credit for driving the raiders back to their lairs was given by Knox to the officers and men assigned to Bermuda which he described as "the Pearl Harbor of the Atlantic," an important stop on one of our convoy routes and an ideal spot for scouting and attacking enemy submarines.

The naval secretary also disclosed the United States naval base built on this British island cost more than $34,000,000 exclusive of the value of the work done by Seabees, the navy's construction battalions. The base was established three years ago on ground obtained from Great Britain under a 99-year lease in exchange for American destroyers transferred to the British fleet.

Army Cheesecake

Gowen Field, Idaho (AP).—GI mouths and eyes popped open at the sight of a pair of shapely feminine legs sticking out of the window of a reconnaissance car. But Lieut. John McGrath of the chemical warfare unit explained that "the legs belonged to a dummy we borrowed from a Boise store to aid in classroom demonstrations of protective clothing."

Soldier-Fiance Killed, Brunswick Girl Learns

Frederick, Md., April 6 (AP).—Staff Sergt. Wesley D. Dolan, 21, of Brunswick, was killed while on a mission over France on December 18, a letter fro mhis friend, Corpl. Herbert Adkins, disclosed today.

Corporal Adkins wrote to Miss Adelaide Webber, Brunswick, Dolan's fiancee, that Dolan was hit by a piece of flak and died instantly. He was flying as a turret gunner on hs isixteenth mission, and was buried in Corsica, Corporal Adkins wrote.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey M. Dolan, parents of Sergeant Dolan, said they were notified by the War Department today that their son had been killed in action.

Suburban Hospital Gets Funds to Sponsor Rooms

Additional sponsorship of rooms in the new Suburban Hospital at Bethesda, Md., were announced yesterday by J. Dewey Lutes, hospital superintendent.

They include $300 from Hugh V. and Caroline Fell Keiser of Bethesda and $369 for furnishings for the doctors' lounge from the Rollingwood (Chevy Chase) Citizens Association, of which A. E. Demaray is president. Mrs. Carl D. Corse was chairman of the group's drive for donations.

Md. Hero Returns To Frederick Home

Frederick, Md., April 6 (AP).—Pfic. Charles Burkett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burkett of Frederick, arrived home unexpectedly today, wearing the Purple Heart and Silver Star Medals.

Pfc. Burkett was wounded in his right hand and left leg by machine-gun fire. He had been fighting in the southwest Pacific for two years. He received the Silver Star for saving the lives of several officers, his parents said.

48 Washington Men to Enter Armed Services

Forty-eight Washington men will report for induction tomorrow, D. C. Selective Service headquarters announced yesterday.

They are:

Lorenzo I. Carlton, Robert L. Fleming, George W. Koustenis, William G. Maguire, Dalton Breedon, Edward J. Cole, John S. Couch, Elmer N. Powers, Tamotsu Shimasaki, Coy C. Todd, Edward T. Adams, William L. Boswell, Maurice A. Guervitz, Morris C. Hole, Paul L. Hunt, Charles Linsley, Mike Pellicano, James A. Phillips, Karl F Stutzman, James F. Canning, Harry N. Cole, William R. Croson, Robert E. Franklin, Paul J. Kanzinch, Howard P. Sian, Charles R. Talbert, Bernard A. Brower, Leonard R. Clemmer, Charles A. Lewis, white.

Ralph W. Johnson, Norman J. Washington, Thurston B. Wilson, Walter Johnson, Alphonzo G. McGee, James Parker, Willie Hill, Arthur L. Lee, Rubin Modis, Thomas Smith, Thomas L. Walker, William T. Jasper, James O. Miller, Lonnie R. Adams, John T. Bennett, John H. Bean, Jesse J. Brice, John H. Fortune, Robert Harrison, Negroes.

Barefoot Thief Eludes Rep. Satterfield

Richmond, Va., April 6 (AP).—Congressman Dave E. Satterfield, jr., gave brief chase to a barefoot burglar who escaped in the darkness last night after ransacking several rooms in the Satterfield home.

The Congressman, home during the recess of Congress, caught a glimpse of the burgler as the intruder climbed through a dining room window. A pair of large-size shoes were found in some shrubbery under the dining room window.

Mrs. Satterfield reported to police the man took her pocketbook containing $125, a gold wrist watch, and her gasoline ration book.

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Candidate Choice Will Be Decided

In Arlington

Gardeners' Meeting Set For April 21

Arlington-Fairfax Bureau of The Post.
Arlington, Va., Tel. CH. 3239.

A mass meeting for victory gardeners and leaders will be held Friday, April 21, in the Colonial Village ballroom, it was announced last night by Mrs. Elizabeth E. Magruder, chairman of the Arlington County victory garden committee. Organization plans will be completed and additional leaders for various sections of the county will be appointed.

James Morton Franklin, chairman of the Washington victory garden committee, will be the guest speaker.

Mrs. Magruder stated that 350 acres of land which had been donated by Arlington County real estate companies as well as private owner, were used by 15,000 gardeners last year. This number does not include many of the smaller home gardens which were not listed with the committee.

"This year 40 per cent more people are asking for garden space and the committee is urging all individual property owners who are willing for their land to be used for victory gardens, as well as the real estate companies, to list their land with out victory garden committee," Mrs. Bagruder said in an appeal to land owners.

Leaders Named

Leaders have already been appointed for developments in meny sections of the county and many gardeners have planted their early crops. Among these community garden leaders are: Mrs. Abbott Lipsky, Buckingham, where the300 gardens for last year will be far exceeded this year; Mrs. Marvin Levenberg is the contact woman for Colonial Village where they also expect to exceed the 300 gardens of last year: Mrs. Erwin Lurie, Arlington Village, leader, states they will top their 130 gardens of last year; Earl R. Leister, of Lee Gardens, announces a far larger group has asked for space this year, and Miss Majority Prytherich, of Arlington Ridge, also announces an increase in applications for this year.

Mrs. Magruder further announced that "our President has asked for many additional gardens this year to meet the emergency, and the Arlington County Victory Garden Comimttee is calling on the residents and property ownuers of this county to top our splendid progress of last year and meet the President's appeal."

Red Cross Reaches Goal

The Arlington Red Cross War Fund Drive went over the top this week by 8 per cent, to achieve a semi-final total of $45,750.

In announcing this incomplete figure, John F. Phalen, Arlington War Fund Drive chairman, pointed out that it represents over 12,000 contributions, or virtually complete coverage of the homes in the county. Last year approximately 9,000 Arlingtonians contributed $37,492.

Previously unreported collections are: Theaters, $2208, and the Junior Red Cross, $2,082.77. The drive will be officially closed next Tuesday, April 11, at a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce in Washington when final reports will be made.

Meeting Postponed

The Executive Committee meeting of the Arlington Business and Professional Women's Club scheduled for tonight has been postponed until Friday, Apirl 14, at 8 p. m., when the annual Pollyanna party will be held following a brief business session. The meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Agnes Conradi, 3103 No. Pershing Drive.

Student Honored

Miss Elise Emiline Keller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Keller of 5017 Newport ave., Chevy Chase, Md., is on the dean's list at Ohio Wesleyan University, where she is studying advertising and radio.

Democrats to Act In Montgomery on U. S. Senate Race

The County Congress of the United Democratic Organization of Montgomery County will meet Wednesday at 8 p. m. to consider indorsement of a candidate for the Democratic nomination to the United States Senate. State Senator Thomas E. Hampton of Bethesda called the meeting.

The session, which will take on the atmosphere of a State convention, only on a county-wide scale, will be held in the Bethesda Elementary School, Wilson lane, just west of Old Georgetown rd. Senator Hampton is chairman of the United Democratic organization for the county.

A plurality of the votes cast in the county at the Democratic primary May 1 for the candidates whose name will appear on the primary ballots will instruct the county's seven delegates to the Democratic State convention of Maryland to vote for the candidate for the Democratic nomination who receives the largest vote in the county at the primary.

Those who have filed as candidates for the Democratic nomination for United States Senate from Maryland are: Charles Baden, Brookland Park; Willis R. Jones, Vincent F. Long, Stephen B. Peddicord, all of Baltimore City, and Senator Millard E. Tydings, candidate for renomination.

Since the final date for a candidate to withdraw was last Saturday at midnight, names of all five will appear on the Democratic primary ballot. Voters registered as Democrats are entitled to vote in the primaries.

In announcing next Wednesday's meeting, Hampton said the session will be open to the public. The congress is made up of groups of delegates from each of the election districts or principal communities throughout the county.

Delegates from each district are entitled to cast as many votes in the county congress as the average vote cast for Democratic candidates for State Senator and five Democratic candidates for the Board of County Commissioners in the preceding general election, divided by 100.

A majority of the delegates of any election district present at any regularly called meeting of the county congress are authorized to cast that district's vote on any question before the congress. Delegates present from any election district constitute a quorum. Some of the election districts operate under the unit rule and the delegates from some of the election districts vote as individuals in the county congress.

Agencies Calendar

Revival of the calendar of meetings of social agencies in Montgomery County to avoid duplication of meetings, was announced yesterday by Miss Mary E. Lucas, director of the Community Chest and Social Welfare Council of Montgomery County.

All social agencies in the county are urged by Miss Lucas to telephone Rockville 671 to give a schedule of permanent meetings so they may be posted. Whenever an agency plans an additional meeting, Miss Lucas stated, Chest headquarters should be notified by telephone to make certain no other meeting is set for the same time.

Gen. Cox Urges Draft Of 17-Year-Old Youths

Brig. Gen. Albert L. Cox, who retired from the Army as provost marshal for the District of Columbia, in 1942, urged yesterday that 17-year-old youths be summoned under Selective Service. He spoke at an Army Day rally in Cincinnati, Ohio.

"They would make much better soldiers than fathers taken away from families, and they certainly would be physically able to whip double their number of middle-aged men who have lost whatever taste they might have had for Army life," Cox, commander in chief of the Military Order of the World War, declared.

BARNABY — By Crockett Johnson

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Hello!
Tell me all about it! How you and Congressman O'Malley got Congress to approve the dam.
You may not believe this... I didn't have a THING to do with it—
Mom—
Mr. O'Malley, my Fairy Godfather, got it passed, Mom. By mistake—
Hush, Barnaby. John, tell me—
For all I know, Ellen, Barnaby's explanation is as good as any—
Oh, John. But of course, if it's a business secret—
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Fairfax Plans Frozen Food Locker Space

Arlington-Fairfax Bureau of The Post.
Arlington, Va., Tel. CH. 3239.

L. S. Greene, Fairfax County agriculture agent, announces that applications for the frozen food locker are now being taken at his office in the Courthouse, Southern States Stores at Vienna, Herndon and Fairfax. Due to restrictions of the War Production Board, 240 desiring lockers must sign up.

An option has been taken on a lot near Fairfax and the only reason for the plant not being constructed is not having the necessary signatures. The county agent urges everyone who wants a locker to file his application as soon as possible. The locker rentals are $12 a year and the rent will start when the plant is opened, but due to War Production Board restrictions, anyone wishing a locker must put the money in an escrow account. These lockers will hold approximately 300 pounds of food. However, this may vary some with the bulkiness of the food placed in the locker, Mr. Greene stated.

GOP Elects Haight

Alexander Haight of Fairfax was elected chairman of the Fairfax County Republican Committee at the mass meeting held Wednesday night in the Fairfax Courthouse, which was attended by 125 Republican Party members. George E. Bidwell of Oakton was elected secretary, and 47 delegates and 47 alternates to the Culpeper convention on April 12 and the Roanoke convention on April 15, were also elected.

Representative William C. Cole, Republican from Missouri, was the guest speaker and told how he had defeated his "New Deal" incumbent opponent in the last election.

The group also unanimously adopted the unit rule.

Fort Belvoir Gardens

Victory gardens this summer will help provide Fort Belvoir mess halls with fresh vegetable salads and alleviate the vital food production effort of the Nation, Brig. Gen. Edwin H. Marks, commanding general of the fort, stated yesterday.

Military and personnel stationed there are authorized to cultivate individual gardens on the military reservation within certain ground restrictions. Officers, enlisted men and civilians quartered on the post will be permitted to plant victory gardens with plots of land approximately 20 feet by 20 feet square.

Occupants of farm houses on the post will be permitted garden space of approximately 750 square feet. Plots of land to be cultivated are available to troops and civilians who will assume complete responsibility for the care and maintenance of the garden.

Last year the post had many victory gardens. Professional and amateur farmers competed to raise the best vegetable crop.

Belle Haven Red Cross

Mrs. Frederick Northrup, vice chairman of the Fairfax County Chapter of the American Red Cross, has announced that the Belle Haven group, under the chairmanship of Mrs. J. W. Youry, has given $2550.34 to the Fairfax County Chapter toward its quota for the 1944 Red Cross War Fund drive.

The amount represents nearly 128 per cent of Belle Haven's quota of $2000, and is 43 per cent over the collection made in the War Fund drive for 1943.

Benefit for Mount Alto

The American Legion is sponsoring the performance of the Falls Church Community Theater Minstrel Show for the patients of Mount Alto Hospital tonight at 8.

Four Generations

IN NEARBY VIRGINIA—Mrs. Cora E. McIntosh of Arlington, great-grandmother; Thomas H. Fouche, great-grandson; his mother, Mrs. George H. Fouche, and the grandfather, Herbert M. Taylor, who live at Falls Church, Va.

Patuxent Gives Up Body Of Brandywine Mailcarrier

Searchers yesterday found the body of Samuel Gilbert Townshend, jr., 32, of Brandywine, Md., who fell from a fishing boat Wednesday night in the Patuxent River.

Townshend and a brother, Woodrow, had been gill netting and were returning. As the boat approached the wharf, Townshend stood up to grasp the pier and slipped from the boat. Weighted down with boots and heavy clothes he managed to keep afloat in the swift current for only a few moments. His brother had rowed to within 10 feet of him when he sank.

Townshend, a member of an old Maryland family, is a former postmaster of the Brandywine postoffice and more recently had been a rural mail carrier. He was a past master of the Masonic lodge at Upper Marlboro, Md. He was graduated from Western Maryland College.

Townshend is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gilbert Townsend, sr.; his grandmother, Mrs. R. J. Smith; his wife, Mrs. Iva P. Townshend; two children, Sandra and Kay, 5, and Connie Leigh, 6 months, all of Brandywine; five brothers, Woodrow W. of Brandywine, Lieut. Julius Townshend of Oakland, Calif.; Thomas H. Townshend of Baltimore, John B. and Frederick Lansdale, both of Brandywine, and six sisters, Mrs. C. Earle Wyvill, wife of the deputy clerk of Prince Georges County Circuit Court, Upper Marlboro, Md.; Mrs. Randolph Cooksey and Mrs. Clyde Watson, both of Westwood, Md.; Mrs. Roberta I. Wiggins of Norfolk, Va., and the Misses Harriett and Nellie Townshend of Brandywine.

The body was taken to Ritchie Brothers Funeral Home at Upper Marlboro. Services will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Church of the Incarnation, Brandywine. Burial will be in the family plot at Cheltenham, Md.

What's Going On and Where

Entertainment for Servicemen and Women

Servicemen's Ticket Booth, E st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw., free tickets for movies, concerts, dances and lectures, 4 to 8:30 p. m.

Pepsi-Cola Center for the Armed Forces of the United Nations, 13th and G sts. nw., canteen, checking, showers, lounge, voice recordings, all day.

Stage Door Canteen, Belasco Theater: Brown Derby Restaurant, 6 to 7 p. m.; sing a song with Art Brown, WOL, 8 to 8:30 p. m.; Fort Band, Naval Air Station, 9:45 to 11:45 p. m.

USO, 801 Market space nw.: Dramatic hour, 7 p. m.; community sing, 8:30 p. m.; games and refreshments, 9:30 p. m.

Informal recreation, YWCA, 614 E st. nw., 7 to 10 p. m.

Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., classes: Marksmanship, 7:30 p. m.; advanced piloting, 7:30 p. m.; beginners' bridge, 8 p. m.

Social hour, Metropolitan Presbyterian Church, 4th and B sts. se., 7:45 p. m.

Dance, Langley Center, 1st and T sts. ne., 8 p. m.

Dance, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., 8 p. m.

USO, indoor sports, Phyllis Wheatley YWCA (Negro), 901 Rhode Island ave. nw., 8 p. m.

Informal recreation, Church of the Ascension (Episcopal), 1201 Mass. ave. nw., 8 p. m.

USO card party, YMCA, 1736 G st. nw., 8 p. m.

Services, Hebrew Congregational Temple, 8th and Eye sts. nw., 6:15 p. m.

Square and ballroom dancing, First Congregational Church, 10th and G sts. nw., 8:30 p. m.

Dance, Friendship House, 619 D st. se., 8:30 p. m.

USO dance, NCCS, 918 10th st. nw., 8:30 p. m.

Officers, informal evening in the lounge at the Burlington, 8 p. m.

Dance, Emory Methodist Church, 6100 Georgia ave. nw., 9 p. m.

USO dance, Northeast USO, 10th and Mass. ave. ne., 9 p. m.

Women's Batalion No. 2, dance (Negro), Banneker Service Club, 2500 Georgia ave. nw., 9 p. m.

Dance, YWCA, 17th and K sts. nw., 9 p. m.

USO bowling, YMCA, 1736 G st. nw., 8:30 p. m.

Sightseeing, New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York ave. between 13th and 14th sts., 10:30 a. m. Three car tokens needed.

USO sightseeing, Phyllis Wheatley YWCA (Negro), 901 Rhode Island ave. nw., 8 p. m.

Entertainment for Civilians

Symphony concert, United States Navy Band Symphony Orchestra, Departmental Auditorium, Constitution ave. between 12th and 14th sts. nw., 8:30 p. m.

YWCA, 17th and K sts. nw., ANA Club, 7:30 p. m.

YWCA, E st. center, Random Club, 8 p. m.

D. C. Society for Ethical Culture, Dodge Hotel, 8 p. m. Frederick Bigger, Fellow of the American Institute of Architects and chairman of the Pittsburgh City Planning Commission, will discuss the "Redevelopment of American Cities."

Luncheons

Reciprocity Club, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.

D. C. Bankers Association, Willard, 12:45 p. m.

Conference

Dairy Products Marketing Association, Willard, 10 a. m.

Silver Spring Tops Red Cross Goal by $2500

With a rush of last-minute contributions, Silver Spring has gone over its Red Cross war fund quota of $19,500 by $2500, Charles W. Hopkins, war fund chairman, announced last night.

To date collections amount to approximately $22,000, which makes Silver Spring one of the first communities in the Washington area to pass its quota. Final total, according to Hopkins, may run $3000 more than was asked for.

In a statement issued by Hopkins in expressing his appreciation to residents for their support of the drive and to the many individuals, civic and private organizations who helped to make the drive a success, he said:

"Silver Spring has met the test again. This is a superb achievement for Silver Spring. Many of our residents work for the Federal Government or for busines concerns in Washington which have asked them to make their total contributions to the District of Columbia."

Many persons, Hopkins declared, had feared that the $19,500 quota, the largest Silver Spring has ever had, might not be reached, due to the fact that the drive closely followed the Fourth War Loan and payment of income taxes.

Two hundred and fifty workers canvassed their neighborhood theaters and clubs for collections. Women and Junior Waves manned booths and members of the American Legion worked evenings at barrels placed in the streets to bring the quota up. Hopkins also thanked the newspapers and radio for their "generous contribution of space and time."

Woman Struck by Auto While Crossing Street

Mrs. Minnie Jewell, 55, 721 H st. ne., was recovering yesterday at the Washington Sanitarium, Takoma Park, Md., from injuries she suffered when she was struck by a car while crossing the 8200 block of Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Wednesday.

Charged with reckless driving, Joseph R. Carter, 40, 9618 Flower ave., Silver Spring, was arrested by Montgomery County police at the scene of the accident. The rescue squad of the Silver Spring Volunteer Fire Department took Mrs. Jewell to the hospital.

Christ Church to Give Supper for Servicemen

An Easter supper for service men and women will be given by the women of Christ Lutheran Church, Sunday, at 5:30 p. m. at the Bethesda USO clubrooms, 7808 Old Georgetown rd. Guest soloist will be Marie Gendron Ruddell, coloratura soprano, formerly with the Duluth and Gogebi (Mich.) Symphony Orchestras.

Miss Marjorie Trayes, director of the club, yesterday announced that a meeting of the advisory committee will be held Monday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. William Morell, chairman.

Home Nursing Class

A night class in home nursing is being formed by the Silver Spring Branch, Montgomery County Chapter, American Red Cross, Mrs. Olivier Ragonnet, branch chairman, announced yesterday.

School at Silver Spring Asks Court to Review Assessment

In a petition filed in the Circuit Court at Rockville, the Bullis School, Inc., a private prep school, asks the court to review the action of the State Tax Commission in asesssing 33 acres of land owned by it adjoining Sligo Park, Silver Spring, for taxation purposes.

The State commission recently sustained the Montgomery County Commissioners in placing a value of $26,640 on the property for collection of State and county taxes, both holding that the 33 acres were not being used for educational purposes and are, therefore, not exempt from taxation.

Attorneys Duckett, Gill and Anderson of Washington represent the school.

Widow Gets Estate

The will of Thomas Hampton, prominent Bethesda resident, which has been admitted to probate on the Orphans' Court at Rockville, bequeaths his entire estate to his widow, Mrs. Alice S. Hampton. It does not reveal the value of the estate.

Under the will of B. Peyton Whalen, late of the Bethesda area, which has been probated at Rockville, his widow, Mrs. Edith G. Whalen, receives his entire estate and is named executrix. It does not indicate the value of the estate.

Homemakers Meet

The extension service program for the current year was discussed and summer activities for the Food for Freedom program in the county planned at a meeting in Rockville Thursday of the executive board of the Montgomery County Council of Homemakers Clubs. Mrs. Donald Roberts, president of the council, was in charge. The executive board is composed of the presidents of the 21 homemakers clubs of the county and the officers of the council. The meeting was attended by Miss Cenia Kellor of the University of Maryland Extension Service.

Mrs. Edwin D. Fry, chairman of the committee of arrangements for the spring meeting of the council, discussed with other members of the committee plans for the meeting, which will be held April 27.

Rains Reduce Raids On Va. Moonshiners

Richmond, Va., April 6 (AP).—Rainy weather and temporary reduction in alcohol tax unit investigators cut down moonshine raids in Virginia in March with 31 stills seized last month, compared with 53 in March of 1943.

The stills last month had a capacity of 5590 gallons, compared with the 8499-gallon capacity of the March, 1943, stills, according to J. H. Wickham, investigator in charge.

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Serve Star Ham for your Easter Dinner

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Mash 1½ cups cooked sweet potatoes. Blend with ¼ tsp. salt, pepper to taste, and shape into round balls. One and one-half cups should make 8 balls. Chop enough salted peanuts to make ½ to ¾ cup. Roll sweet potato balls in chopped peanuts and bake in 325° F. oven for 20 to 30 minutes. The flavor is new and intriguing . . . and the food is especially nutritious.

Save this recipe from the Armour Kitchens and follow it for your Easter Dinner!

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HOPE RIDINGS MILLER

Mrs. Bricker Would Enjoy White House

(This is the fourth in a series of close-ups on First-Ladies-in-Waiting in the 1944 political line-up.)

"TROUBLE WITH YOUR husband as a presidential possibility is that he lacks glamour—'political it,' if you please. Any man who beats Roosevelt will need a lot in that line."

A frank friend was talking to Mrs. John W. Bricker.

A slow smile curved her lips, and her dark eyes twinkled. "Isn't it it barely possible," she finally asked, "that the American people may be a bit weary of so much political glamour? Seems to me less of that and more steady, constructive thinking and planning might be indicated."

Not one to beat about the bush in any regard, Mrs. Bricker is the only Republican in the running who openly admits she'd adore to be a White House hostess. On her visit to Washington not long ago she gave straight answer to the straight question, "How would you like to be First Lady?"

"There's nothing I'd like more," she said simply . . . and then changed the subject.

There's a Grace Coolidge type of charm about Mrs. Bricker. She's attractive, gracious, warm-hearted. She's gentle, soft-voiced and as diplomatic as they come.

Time and time again, she has been asked her opinion of Mrs. Roosevelt. "I admire her very much," she has answered, invariably.

"But if you were in the White House, would you make speeches, write a daily column and travel so often and so far?"

"Probably not. I'm not that type," she has replied. "But I admire Mrs. Roosevelt just the same."

UNLIKE MRS. DEWEY and Mrs. Willkie, who have consistently declared that their husbands must do all the speech-making, Mrs. Bricker has talked from the platform often, but generally only before women's groups. Since 1932 she has traveled with her husband widely, attending scores of meetings where votes are made and speaking when necessary.

Politics has long been one of her absorbing concerns. "I've been interested in politics as long as I can remember," she has said. "Not so much as an activity as a system responsible for Government."

A veteran at official hostessing, she has kept the social calendar at the Ohio's Governor's Mansion moving smoothly. She personally supervises all details of housekeeping, makes all arrangements for her parties, checks all household accounts, serves as her own secretary and still finds time to entertain at a tea, dinner, or luncheon almost every day.

In addition to purely official functions, she and the Governor frequently gather in old college friends for informal parties. "Our whole idea has been to be ourselves—but not unmindful of our duty and responsibility to the people whom we are trying to serve," is the way she put it.

The former Harriet Day, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Merriam Day, was born in Columbus, Ohio, about eight blocks from the mansion in which she now presides as hostess. She spent much of her early life in Urbana, however, where her father established his candy manufacturing business.

JOHN BRICKER came into her life, very fleetingly, during her college career. It was during World War I. She and a friend, Arema O'Brien, were at a railway station to say goodby to a friend. The troop train came through and stopped. Presently the two girls saw a handsome soldier making his way to them. He turned out to be Bricker, Miss O'Brien's cousin. And that's how he happened to meet the woman who was to be his wife.

She did not see him again until two weeks before she was graduated from Ohio State University. Meanwhile, her college life had

MRS. JOHN W. BRICKER

been filled with a variety of activities. She was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma and Mortar Board; also served as YWCA president.

If her father had consented, there's more than an even chance Mrs. Bricker might now have an "M. D." after her name. Chemistry was her favorite subject and she toyed with the idea of studying medicine or going in for biochemical research. Her father thought a teaching career would be more suitable, so she bowed to parental preference and took a position on the Urbana High School staff.

The following year, in 1920, she and John Bricker were married in a quiet home ceremony. They have made their home in Columbus ever since.

There's little ceremony or formality in the Bricker home, even if it does happen to be the Governor's Mansion. Jackie Bricker, 13-year-old son of the family, has the run of the place and he and his playmates make the most of it. The Brickers' first child, a daughter, died at the age of 10 months.

Mrs. Bricker doesn't overplay her domestic attributes, but she does emphasize that her interests center in her home, husband and son. She's fond of music and art, too; is, in fact, something of an artist herself, but has very little time to spend in that direction.

She confesses a typical feminine fondness for clothes, but dresses conservatively. Her dark hair, now threaded with silver, is worn very much in the same simple style it was a decade ago. Friends she made in college say the former Harriet Day has changed very little. To them, as to many other of her acquaintances, she is a lovely and beloved woman. And they are convinced that if fate and the American voters should choose to put her husband in the White House, she would be a mighty charming First Lady.

(The concluding article in this series will appear Sunday.)

Mrs. Bennett Gives Tea for Russian Cause

Mrs. Oscar Cox and Mrs. Bernard J. Oliver shared honors at a tea yesterday afternoon given by Mrs. James V. Bennett at her home in Chevy Chase, Md., for women prominent in Montgomery County who are assisting in the Nation-wide collection of household utility kits for Russian families returning to their devastated homes.

Mrs. Cox, wife of the General Counsel for the Foreign Economic Administration, is chairman of the Russian War Relief Kit Campaign in the Washington area. Mrs. Oliver is chairman for Montgomery County.

Among the guests yesterday who are sponsors for the Montgomery County campaign were Mrs. Luke I. Wilson, Mrs. Vestus Wilcox, Mrs. Walter E. Perry, Mrs. Albert Brault, Mrs. Frederick Kerby, Mrs. E. Barrett Prettyman, Mrs. Washington I. Cleveland and Mrs. Fred Lutes.

Palm Beach Sun Holds Colonists For Spring Season

The gay whirl that is Palm Beach this season keeps apace even with the advent of spring which usually sends winter colonists homeward bound.

Arthur Bradley Campbell, who has been at the resort throughout the winter months, entertained at a cocktail party a few days ago, inviting more than 100 guests to meet his cousin, Princess Laura Rospigliosi, who is visiting Mrs. Louis G. Kaufman.

Mrs. Irving Hall Chase, another regular resident, will stop in Washington on her way north to visit Mrs. George Barnett. Mrs. Chase will later open her summer home at Narragansett, R. I.

Stewart McDonald has returned to Washington after several weeks at his winter home, leaving his daughter, Mrs. Dozier L. Gardner to keep his house in running order.

Most of the colonists are planning to remain until May, and many remembering their troubles getting villas for this season are already signing leases for next winter.

Ration Points

MEATS, FATS—Canned milk, butter, margarine, fats and oils, cheese and canned fish, Red stamps A-8, B-8, C-8, D-8, E-8, F-8, G-8, H-8, and J-8 valid indefinitely. Red tokens may be used as change.

PROCESSED FOODS—Canned and frozen vegetables, fruits, soups, juices, etc. Blue stamps A-8, B-8, C-8, D-8, E-8, G-8, H-8, J-8 and K-8 valid indefinitely. Blue tokens may be used as change.

SUGAR—Stamps 30 and 31 valid indefinitely. Stamp 40 worth 5 pounds of sugar for home canning, valid through February, 1945.

GASOLINE—Coupons A-9 valid through May 8. B-2 and C-2 good for 5 gallons each. B-3 and C-3 good for 5 gallons each. Expire according to date indicated in the individual books.

Motorists are urged to write license number of State on coupons as soon as received to help in enforcement of rationing regulations

TIRE INSPECTION—Periodic tire inspection will be discontinued after April 20.

FUEL OIL—Period 4 and 5 coupons, worth 10 gallons each, valid through September 30.

FAT SALVAGE—Every pound of waste kitchen fat is worth 2 brown points and 4 cents.

LOST RATION BOOKS—Owners should write addresses on covers of ration books so they can be returned if lost.

SHOES—Stamp 18 in Book 1 valid through April 30; airplane stamp No. 1 in Book 3 valid indefinitely.

Harris & Ewing

One of Georgetown's old houses at 3107 Dumbarton ave., which is to be open for the annual tour of Georgetown homes, April 14 and 15, is the property of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Vincent. Those making the pilgrimage will have opportunity to see Mrs. Vincent's famous collection of antique porcelains which Miss Catherine Graves and Miss Martha Warden are examining with interest in the picture

Miss Betty White Is Bride Of Ensign Reedy

The marriage of Miss Betty White, daughter of Capt. Arthur J. White, USN Medical Corps, and Mrs. White, to Ensign Joseph S. Reedy, USN Air Corps, took place yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents at Quantico, Va. Capt. Morris M. Leonard, chaplain, USN, officiated at the ceremony, and Captain White gave his daughter in marriage. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Reedy of Bloomsburg, Pa.

The bride wore a street-length pale green crepe frock with white accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias. Her sister, Miss Nancy Ann White, who was her only attendant, was in a Navy blue costume with matching accessories. Arthur J. White, jr., was best man. Due to the unexpected death of Mrs. White's father, the bride's mother was unable to attend her daughter's wedding.

Immediately following the ceremony Ensign and Mrs. Reedy left for a visit to the bridegroom's parents. They will return to Quantico, after which Ensign Reedy will report for duty at his new station.

The bride attended William and Mary College and was connected with the Radio Corp. of America in Washington until her marriage. Ensign Reedy attended Duke University. He entered the Naval Air Corps in November, 1942, and was commissioned in January, 1944.

Kibby—Lawrence

Miss Jane Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eldredge Lawrence, became the bride of Lieut. David Robert Kibby, Chaplain Corps, on Wednesday, the ceremony taking place at noon at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. H. W. Burgan officiated at the service.

The bride is a graduate of Marjorie Webster College and will return to her studies at Wheelock College in Boston. Lieutenant Kibby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Kibby of Pittsfield, Mass. He was graduated from Syracuse University and received his STB degree from Boston University. He is at present stationed at Camp Pickett, Va.

Stahl—Kronheim

At a 7 o'clock ceremony held last evening in the Chinese Room at the Mayflower Miss Judith Elaine Kronheim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton S. Kronheim, was married to Lieut. (j. g.) Samuel S. Stahl, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stahl of Peabody, Mass. Members of the two families and close friends witnessed the ceremony, performed by the Rev. Norman Gerstenfeld, and a reception followed, to which a large number of additional guests were invited.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white marquisette with a finger-tip-length veil of white illusion. She carried an arm bouquet of calla lilies. Miss Audrey Ney was maid of honor, and Mrs. Morton Levy, jr., of Philadelphia, matron of honor.

Mrs. Nash Busy With Inquiries About Leaving

Popular Mrs. Walter Nash, wife of the retiring Minister from New Zealand, has had a busy time of it the past two days reassuring her many friends that she and Mr. Nash do not plan an immediate departure from the Capital.

News that the white-thatched Mr. Nash and his handsome wife are to permanently desert the legation here which they opened in January, 1942, came as a surprise to their circle of acquaintances in Washington. However, as Mrs. Nash explains, no date has yet been set for their departure, and there will be plenty of time for farewells before they leave.

In the meantime, Mrs. Nash is continuing with her Red Cross work here and awaiting the Minister's return from London, where he has been conferring with war leaders.

Assuming the duties of Minister here will be Carl August Berendsen, C. M. G., at present serving as New Zealand's High Commissioner in Australia.

In announcing the recall of Mr. Nash, Prime Minister Fraser explained that the Minister was needed at home, where he has continued to hold several important Government posts during his tenure of office here. In addition to his duties as Deputy Prime Minister, Mr. Nash holds a number of ministerial posts, including that of Minister of Finance.

Indeed, for the past year Washington has seen little of the Minister and Mrs. Nash. They returned to New Zealand last year, when Mr. Nash took charge of his country's affairs during the prolonged illness of Prime Minister Fraser. Soon after their return to Washington in January, Mr. Nash left for London and has not yet returned.

The Minister-elect to Washington also has a distinguished background of service with his country's government. He has held the posts of permanent head of the Prime Minister's Department, Secretary of the War Cabinet and Secretary of External Affairs.

Miss Marjorie Jacobs, James E. Burke to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Merle T. Jacobs of Gaithersburg, Md., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marjorie Ann Jacobs, to Pvt. James E. Burke, son of John M. Burke of Germantown, Md.

The bride-elect is now attending Western Maryland College. Private Burke is stationed at Jackson, Miss. No date has been set for the wedding.

The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

In Search of Morale

You decide to quit work and go to the cocktail party. You need to get out more, everyone has been telling you—to get out and make new contacts, pick up new ideas, build up your morale. You'll never get anywhere grubbing away at a desk. Look at the people who go places! They do it through good contacts, through making the right friends and acquaintances, through promoting their personalities.

Besides, their work always gets done somehow. You take yours too seriously. You're probably going stale and don't know it. Why you'll no doubt be so stimulated by a little social life that you'll work twice as easily and twice as fast when you return. Anyway you'll just flit in and say hello to everybody and be back in a half hour.

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As you enter the hotel parlor, you are momentarily bewildered by the sea of faces. You never realized how much alike human beings were. A woman with a vaguely familiar face comes eagerly toward you. . . . Why, it's Bea Merryfeather from your office! The two of you all but embrace. You have not seen each other since shortly before noon in the women's rest room, "Nell's here," Bea announces. "And Harold and Barbara." You can scarcely believe it. You will look them all up just as soon as you find and greet the person—or persons—who sent you the invitation to the party.

But a friendly woman is at your elbow. "Have you met Mrs. Potterby yet?" she inquires. You have not. You are straightway presented to Mrs. Potterby, who graciously shakes hands and says, "How do you do Miss Blink?" So nice to see you again."

Someone else is waiting to be presented so you step aside. Now who on earth is Mrs. Potterby? Is she one of the "contacts" you should cultivate?

"Hello darling," exclaims a voice as someone grabs your arm. It is Marcia Elderberry. You regard each other with delight. You haven't heard from her since the night before last when you had that long midnight telephone conversation over the club election fight.

"Daphne's here!" announces Marcia. "And say, have you met Mrs. Potterby?"

"Yes. Who IS Mrs. Potterby?"

"She's—well I'm not sure, but I think—"

"Oh hello!" interrupts a delighted voice. "It is Connie Whiffle. "Have you girls met Ursula Skeet?"

"Ursula Skeet?"

"Yes. Mrs. Buntington Skeet, you know he's the big potato chip man who's been brought here to be gun cotton czar."

You eagerly accept the invita- who openly advits she'd adore to pleasantly a few minutes about the Washington climate.

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You seek refreshments, and thus fortified, hold a joyous reunion with Gertrude, Nadine and Hortense whom you have not seen since Nadines' buffet supper last week.

"Did you know Paul Pundit, the radio commentator, was here?" asks Hortense. "Come along and meet him."

Mr. Pundit, surrounded by a group of admirers, greets you cordially and you start to tell him how wonderful he is when you are interrupted by another "presentation."

You go for refreshments and hold increasingly enthusiastic reunions with acquaintances whose names have escaped you, with persons you have been trying to avoid for years, and with friends whom you have not seen for four days. You are once more presented to Mrs. Potterby who remarks "How nice to see you again!" also to Cyril Flitt, foreign correspondent who is autographing his latest book, and to a number of important wives to whom you have been introduced at every large party for the last half dozen years.

You linger on until the waiters are dismantling the tables. You then stand in the lobby talking it over with Bea, Connie and several other intimates you have picked up. You finally tear yourself away, return to your office. You try to work. Things do not go easily and smoothly. Your mind is cluttered and confused, your nerves tense. You finally give up and put things away. You'll have to catch up tomorrow—get up earlier.

But—tomorrow is your big day. You are now behind in everything. Well maybe it'll all work itself out someway. Maybe since you've gotton out and built up your morale and all these valuable contacts something miraculous will happen. Maybe Mrs. Potterby will wave a wand.

Mary Haworth's Mail

Under Fire by Her Parents and Man's Parents, For Her Candid Matrimonial Pursuit of Fiance Now in the Army, College Girl, 18, Asks Advice

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I am 18 years old, nearly 19, and I'm engaged to a boy 18. My family likes him very much and thinks he has a "good influence" on me. His family seems to like me, also; but I'm afraid they don't think I am a "good influence" on him. But there is nothing I can do about that. We were at college together until a few months ago, when Jim went into the Army. We had been engaged for three months at that time, and had seen each other constantly during our freshman year at college, so we know each other very well indeed.

But both our families are opposing our immediate, and also our future, plans. They're diplomatic about it; but the opposition is very apparent, and, I feel, entirely unreasonable. Because Jim has completed only one year of college, they feel it will be at least three years after the war before he should marry. I am willing to marry him now, but he thinks we must wait until the war is over. Then we can be married and he will go on with his education. Probably I'll be through college by then, and will have a job which I can keep until he finishes college. That is his plan and probably the wisest course. But I don't want to follow the "wisest course,"—since it means during these months he is at camp I can't be with him as much as I could if we were married.

I've gone twice to see Jim since he went into the Army, spending the weekend with a newly married cousin in the city nearby his camp. My mother disapproves of these trips and has tried to make me promise not to go again, at least unless she goes with me. She says that I am "running after" Jim and that his family will misunderstand. My father says I can't afford the time from my college work; nor the money for the 400-mile trip. But college means nothing to me with Jim in the Army; and if I am willing to spend my own allowance and my savings on these trips, it seems to me it is my business, not theirs.

Believes Her Parents Are Behind the Times

I EXPECT to get a job this summer as near to wherever Jim is located as possible, so that I can see him as often as possible. Mother and father are absolutely opposed to the plan. What they don't realize is that Jim and I are old enough to make our own decisions and plans. They think we are "young and inexperienced," whereas, actually, we are in many ways older than they are and more experienced. Jim and I are both "old for our age." I believe that my judgment on matters that concern my happiness are far better than mother's or father's. Times have changed and are changing far more rapidly than my parents realize. It just isn't possible for people of their age to see our problems as clearly as we see them.

I would like to have you answer some questions. I hope that your replies will provide me with additional arguments to use in overcoming my family's objection to my plans. 1. Isn't it perfectly all right for me to spend as many weekends at my cousin's as I can, while Jim is at that camp? 2. Isn't it all right for me to get a summer job as near to Jim as possible; so that we can have at least our weekends together? 3. Don't you think that, in these times, a man and girl of 18 are mature enough to know that they are in love? And mature enough to make their own decisions as to the future? 4. How can we prove to our families that we are adults and that our love is permanent? 5. In your opinion, as an outsider, am I right in wanting to be married now? Or is Jim right, in wanting to wait until the war is over? Or are our families right, in wanting us to wait until Jim has finished college?

HELOISE.

What's This? Eliza Turned Bloodhound

DEAR HELOISE: Taking your questions in the order listed: 1. Nothing could be more ill-conceived than your notion that it is perfectly all right for you to spend as many weekends as possible at your cousin's, while Jim is stationed nearby. To put over that program would be to make a nuisance of yourself all around,—a nuisance to your cousin, no matter what she may say politely to the contrary; a nuisance to Jim, perhaps without his consciously realizing it; and a nuisance to the Army authorities, who abhor (and with good reason) the possessive female camp followers who fondly get in the soldiers' hair, during the intensive training period when the Army is trying to capture the men's concentration 100 per cent, so as to put them in shape, mentally and physically, to outwit and outfight the enemy and come back alive.

2. I think you would be making an unlovely spectacle of yourself, if you aggressively got a summer job near Jim's camp (wherever that may be when summer comes), in order to give him no alternative to your company on weekends. What are you trying to do,—play Eliza turned bloodhound? 3. I don't think "the times" have anything to do with whether a boy and girl of 18 are mature enough to know that they are in love. The individual performance tells the story. Somebody has defined guts as "grace under pressure." And when I see a girl, 18, whose *idea fixee*, in a complicated crisis, is "I want what I want when I want it—," then I know that, far from being mature, she is still wrapped, psychologically, in swaddling clothes. That's you, my dear.

Nothing Reassuring In Girl's Conduct

4. You, personally, cannot prove to your family or to Jim's family that you are mature at this time, for you aren't. Jim is a little more advanced on that score; for at least he has demonstrated the horse sense and firmness of character not to let you stampede him into the frying pan before he reaches the fighting front. As for how to persuade the two sets of parents that the mutual attachment is "permanent love,"—the best way to sell that idea is to act as if you believed it yourself. And you aren't acting that way in trying to surround Jim on all sides,—whether by immediate marriage or relentless pursuit and possessive surveillance, for as long as possible. The implication of that performance is that you are none too sure that Jim's devotion to you would survive a protracted separation and several more years' growth in his experience. It's as if you felt "it's now or never" for satisfying your highly emotional, headstrong yen for him.

You are a spoiled baby, and your parents know it. And pretty well out of hand, on the home front,—as your glib rude talk about what's your business versus your parents' business in re your school girl actions, makes clear. You don't know very much, yet,—about the fine, abiding loyalties and realities and values in life,—or your attitude toward your parents would be at least somewhat appreciative, respectful and considerate. The principal error in judgment with which you might charge them,—and you fail to see it,—was in letting you develop a perniciously swelled head; by pampering you into a false conviction of all-knowing self sufficiency, when in truth and fact you are still entirely (and I daresay rather helplessly) subsidized by them. 5. I believe the answers to the preceding four questions provide the answer to this one. But to leave no doubt: The old folks are overwhelmingly right, in thinking marriage should wait until Jim had finished college (provided Providence restores that opportunity to him); or, at least until he has matured to responsible marrying age.

M. H.

MARTHA ELLYN PLATTER CHATTER—GOOD NEWS FOR EASTER MENUS

World War II Prices Easier on Family Purse Strings

All Americans should be in a happy mood about the food situation this Easter. The strain on the pocketbook for food isn't anything compared to that of World War I. If prices were as high now as the peak ones paid in the last war, we would be sitting down to meager Easter breakfast and dinners.

Although prices vary in different parts of the country, and in different class stores, yet the averages amount to the same. Let's compare the prices of certain food items during the war.

(Prices in Cents)

	World War I			World War II		
	July '14	Peak Price	% of Rise	Aug. '39	Feb. '44	% of Rise
Butter	34.2	78	128	30.7	50.2	63.5
Eggs	30.2	92.4	206	32	50.3	57.2
Milk (delivered)	8.9	17.3	94	12	15.6	30
Bread (pound)	6.2	11.9	91.9	7.8	8.8	12.8
Flour	3.2	8.8	175	3.6	6.5	80.6
Potatoes	2.6	10.3	296	2.3	4.3	87.0
Sugar	5.2	26.7	413	5.2	6.8	30.8
Chicken, roasting	22	47.8	117	30.9	44.7	44.7
Leg of lamb	20.3	43	112	27.6	40.1	45.3
Rib roast beef	20.9	35.9	71.8	28.9	33.9	17.3
Sliced bacon	27.4	58.5	114	30.4	41.2	35.5

Of course, we have to take into consideration that in World War I there were no ceiling prices, no frozen salaries. Today, we have both.

MARTHA ELLYN

A survey of the markets shows that the traditional legs of lamb and Long Island ducklings are very scarce, if they can be found at all. Ham is plentiful. The price of fresh asparagus is not quite so steep as it was. Eggs are available in such quantities that Uncle Sam is concerned how to keep the supply moving. Fresh beets, too, are among the vegetables of good quality and lowered price. Frozen vegetables are in good quantities. If you want a golden note on your menu, why not use some of the quick-frozen squash? There's broccoli, peas, carrots, string beans, all to be taken from the frozen locker. They make appealing dishes and save time in preparation. Oranges and grapefruit are plentiful. Avocados, or calavos if you prefer, and rhubarb are in moderate supply.

Perhaps you can't have the traditional lamb or duck, but you will find that almost everything else you need for a nutritious holiday meal is available in the stores and markets.

Food for making delightful Easter breakfasts is not lacking. Florida grapefruit of the white meat variety is plentiful. Whether you are planning an early breakfast to suit the church time of everyone or a brunch after church, there will be a variety of foods from which to select.

10 o'Clock Breakfast

Half Grapefruit, Strawberry Filled
Eggs Benedict Coffee Cake
Sausages Bacon Coffee

The following recipe will make a coffee cake of the melt-in-the-mouth variety. Here is the recipe:

COFFEE CAKE

Cream ¼ cup shortening and ½ cup brown sugar. Beat 1 egg and 1 egg yolk, reserving 1 white for topping, and add to creamed mixture. Sift 2 cups sifted soft wheat flour with 3 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt and 1 teaspoon cinnamon. Add to creamed mixture alternately with ¾ cup milk. Mix into smooth batter and add 1 teaspoon vanilla. Pour into well-greased, paper-lined pan, 8 by 2 inches. Bake in moderate oven, 375 degrees for 25 minutes. Spread sugar nut topping on cake 5 minutes before coffee cake is done. Yield: one coffee cake.

Sugar Nut Topping—Combine 2 tablespoons butter, 1 egg white, ½ cup sifted confectioners' sugar, 3 tablespoons brown sugar or molasses and ½ cup chopped nut meats. Spread on coffee cake 5 minutes before cake is done.

If breakfast is to be served after church, then it may be a more inclusive menu, and function as both breakfast and lunch. A menu such as the following is appropriate:

Breakfast at One

Chilled Orange Juice
Broiled Grapefruit with Honey
Baked Ham Slice
Parsley Potato Balls
Popovers Jam
Coffee

If 11 o'clock is your church-going time, then plan a menu that can be prepared as much in advance as possible. Vegetables may be prepared and stored in the vegetable pan in the refrigerator, or quick-frozen vegetables which will need no preparation may be used. The dessert can be ready and waiting, the salad dressing made. Let's plan easy to prepare but appealing menus. Since chicken and ham are two available foods, let's use them as the pivotal food for Easter dinner patterns.

Dinner Menu

Chilled Vegetable Juice
Ripe Olives Radish Roses
Baked Ham with Orange Glaze
Savory Squash Asparagus
Spring Salad Hot Rolls
Old Fashioned Strawberry Shortcake
Coffee

The vegetable juice can be in the refrigerator chilling. The radishes can be made into roses and placed in the refrigerator pan along with the vegetables to be used in making the spring salad. Tenderized ham can be baked and reheated or if the serving hour permits, baked while the rest of the meal is being prepared. Use the prepared-mix for making the shortcake. The strawberries can be prepared ahead of time. And don't bemoan the lack of whipped cream for the shortcake. Regular cream is best for real old-fashioned shortcake.

The savory squash dish will supply that golden note for the Easter dinner. If the quick-frozen cooked squash is used, the preparation of this dish will be very simple. The directions follow:

SAVORY SQUASH

Thaw one box (16 ounces) quick-frozen cooked squash. Saute 3 tablespoons chopped onion in 2 tablespoons bacon fat until tender. Add to the squash in double boiler top. Add 1¾ teaspoons salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper and 1 cup (packed) mashed potatoes. Beat well. Reheat. Makes 6 servings.

Dinner Menu

Fresh Fruit Cup
Fried Chicken Gravy
Mashed Potatoes Broccoli
Tomato Calavo Salad
Hot Biscuits Jam
Angel Food Cake Orange Ice
Coffee

Since eggs are plentiful, why not use them to make a lovely angel food cake? It doesn't take any special bravery to make this cake. They're easier than you have ever dreamed. Angel food cake is light with the air that is beaten into them. That's why air is sifted into the flour, beaten in with the eggs and kept in by the careful folding together of ingredients. The following recipe will achieve such a cake:

ANGEL FOOD CAKE

Sift cake flour once and measure to 1 cupful. Add ¼ cup granulated sugar and sift four times. Prepare 1 cupful egg whites (8 to 10 egg whites). Add ½ teaspoon salt to the egg whites and beat with rotary beater or flat wire whisk. When foamy, add 1 teaspoon cream of tartar, and continue beating until eggs are stiff enough to hold up in peaks, but not dry. Add 1 cup sifted granulated sugar, 2 teaspoons at a time, beating with rotary beater or whisk after each addition until sugar is just blended. Fold in ¾ teaspoon vanilla and ¼ teaspoon almond extract. Then sift about ¼ cup flour over mixture and fold in lightly; repeat until all floor is used. Turn into ungreased angel food pan. Cut gently through batter with knife to remove air bubbles. Bake in slow oven, 325 degrees, for 45 to 50 minutes. Remove from oven and invert pan 1 hour, or until cold.

Eggs should be removed from the refrigerator several hours before using. They beat up lighter and more easily when at room temperature and give increased fineness of grain and delicacy of texture to angel food cakes.

Angel food cake is often served plain or sprinkled lightly with confectioner's sugar or it may be iced with an icing made by adding sifted confectioner's sugar to ½ cup warm milk until of right consistency to spread, then add flavoring desired.

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Gallinger Postlude

A last word on Gallinger Hospital's psychopathic wards was obviously needed, and we think that Commissioner Mason's committee of experts has said it uncommonly well. The Holman Committee discovered that something was seriously wrong at Gallinger. But it didn't prove deep enough to discover the real causes. Rather it jumped at the conclusion that some of the doctors in charge and their superiors, including Commissioner Mason, were incompetent. The committee headed by Dr. Winfred Overholser, superintendent of St. Elizabeths Hospital, took a more careful look and brought forth more careful conclusions. The disgraceful conditions are still there, but new light has been shed on their cause.

The doctors find that the number of ward employes should be doubled; that a medical staff of five has been trying to do the work of eight; that the institution is "ineptly lanned";p that "the poverty of the place is conspicuous," and that patients have been unduly restrained because of lack of personnel to provide accepted treatment. These are damning indictments for any public institution. With respect to professional care, the experts found that "only the high spots can be touched" and they marvel that the five physicians have accomplished so much with so little.

This is a very different picture from that sketched by the Holman Committee. By no means does it exonerate the Commissioners from responsibility for the conditions found at Gallinger. An alert board would have had this investigation made long before the Senate District Committee got around to visiting Gallinger. Yet the greatest weight of responsibility falls upon Congress itself, for it has insisted as functioning as a city council for the District and a city council takes upon itself the duty of seeing that local institutions have funds enough to do their work properly. We think that the Holman Committee owes an apology to Drs. Ruhland and Gilbert and others who have worked so hard to keep Gallinger functioning properly in spite of its deficiencies. Everyone would doubtless be happy, however, to let the controversy drop with a decision now to give Gallinger what it needs to bring it up to the standards of a first-class municipal hospital.

Asking Too Much!

Right after the case of Miss Vivian Kellems, who, in protest against something or other, recently advised manufacturers to withhold their lawful taxes, comes the case of Mrs. Rose Wilder Lane, the woman novelist. Mrs. Lane announces she is going into strict retirement until America can produce "a politician who'll stand up and tell the truth." Mrs. Lane's retirement will, we fear, be permanent. We are not, we hope, opposed to reasonable and legitimate aspiraticns, but it seems to us that Mrs. Lane is really asking for the moon. The barbers perhaps need not utterly despair of the fanatics who pledge themselves not to have another haircut until Mississippi goes Republican or Vermont goes Socialist-Labor or until the Philadelphia Nationals win the World Series. But anyone who looks forward to reading himself to sleep with Mrs. Lane's next novel is nursing a fond delusion—that is, if, as we presume, Mrs. Lane is really in earnest about her vow.

After all, expecting a politician to stand up and tell the truth is very much like asking a full-grown jaguar to sit down with you to a tasty little luncheon of fruit salad, graham bread and lemon jello, or expecting a boa constrictor to use the typewriter. 'Tain't in nater, as grandfather used to say. Mrs. Lane has not explained, and perhaps has not even troubled to ask herself, how a man who had acquired the embarrassing habit of telling the truth could ever get to be a politician in the first place. Possibly, what Mrs. Lane means is that somehow and some day some politician who has got to the top or near the top by the usual tendentious methods, will suddenly slough off the habits of a lifetime and begin to speak with the tongues of angels. There may have been a few such cases from time to time, but in each of them, we suspect, the politician in question was speedily clapped into an asylum by his apprehensive relatives.

Indeed, after a few years in politics, the normal politician finds himself so thoroughly out of touch with the truth that he begins to doubt whether there is any such thing as truth. We feel obliged to remind Mrs. Lane of the well-known case of a rather famous politician who served for some years as the procurator of an important Roman province. He was in many respects an enlightened and well-intentioned man, somewhat more so perhaps, than many modern politicians. But when it came to this matter of truth, why, he was just as helpless as any of them.

Screening For 4-F's

Young men of 18 to 26 who have been rejected by Selective Service may well be bewildered by the recommendation from the House Military Affairs Committee that they hasten to take jobs in essential war work. Before they were classified 4-F they were told by the War Manpower Commission to take jobs in war industry or prepare to be drafted regardless of how many dependents they might have. But in no case has there been any specific instructions to the individual as to what his duty is. The Government has tried to control manpower by the clumsy method of herding groups instead of assigning individual citizens to the posts where they can serve best.

For that reason, we fear, there is danger that the advice from the House Military Affairs Committee may only add to the confusion. Men want to know precisely what the Government requires of them, and no such instructions can be given them until Congress passes some sort of national service legislation. The greatest contribution the committee can make in the circumstances is to have a limited national service bill ready for immediate consideration when Congress returns.

One reason for the warning that 4-F's should hasten to seek war jobs is said to be a desire on the part of Congressmen to keep the proposed labor corps as small as possible. We think that is a wholly commendable objective. But surely it is not to be assumed that all 4-F's who remain in nonessential jobs when this proposed legislation is passed will be drafted into labor corps! To our way of thinking there should be some machinery set up to guide 4-F's into war jobs for which they are qualified and to screen out those incapable of physical work, as a preliminary to the exercise of labor-drafting powers. The proposed labor corps would thus become only a last resort for utilization of men who failed to comply with the specific directions of the War Manpower Commission or some other placement agency.

About Mr. Willkie

There were two Willkies about whom one can write by way of valedictory to the contender for the Presidency. One is the man as he appeared to the now gleeful GOP leaders. To them his didactic manner of assumming that he was both the voice of the people and the scourge of the Republican Party was irritating. On his last visit to the Capital that attitude turned friends into enemies. He was truculent and cocksure. He even offered 2 to 1 that he would get the nomination. Personal arrogance of this nature in the presence of other Republican leaders may have been less a reflection of the Willkie personality than a demonstration of the Willkie notion of political tactics. He was engaged in bucking the machine, and he imagined that a display of his belligerency would rivet him in the favor of the rank and file. The other Willkie is the man himself, warm, sympathetic, companionable, and crusading. To sit down with Mr. Willkie in a talkfest is to be in the presence of a man whose intellectual curiosity knows no bounds. This makes his conversation a stimulus and a refreshment. His is a mind that moves with the times, free of prejudice, though so highly impressionistic that on some subjects, such as India and China, he seems to have one foot firmly planted in the air.

It is the habit of late to think of this essentially simple man as a paradox. John Chamberlain says he presents the spectacle of a personally unconfused man who has succeeded in creating a picture of bewilderment. We cannot agree, except that in the public mind he could never develop an antithesis to Mr. Roosevelt. But there appears in the record nothing bewildering about the Willkie credo. He believed in an expansive economy," but an economy the sovereignty over which is nodt reposed in private enterprise, as in the 'twenties, when it was locked firmly in a box. This is now more or less acceptable gospel. It is going to be difficult to redetermine spheres of public and private enterprise when the system emerges out of its wartime restraints. But Mr. Willkie hasn't been vague about that, and would have attacked the problem in detail in the course of his campaigning.

Nor is Mr. Willkie vague about foreign policy. He was in the van in developing a consciousness of the danger in which this Nation was placed by the spread of Japo-Hitlerism. He has worked unswervingly to maintain a unity in our grand alliance based upon adhesion to principle and a recognition of mutual aid. He has effectively prodded the Administration for its errors of commission or omission. In a speech on Wednesday at Omaha he summarized his case against the Administration. In every respect it was admirable. With great force and succinctness he assailed the President for confusing both our Allies and the American people. We ourselves have repeatedly made the same indictment. With his remedy we are in the same agreement, namely, a United Nations council. In prosecuting the military end of the war there is a combined chief of staff committee, but for our political warfare there is no group at all beyond the ad hoc meetings of government officials. The result is separateness of action which is hampering the conduct of the war and undermining any organization for peace. Mr. Willkie has been unwavering in his call for leadership in Washington "which will bring these decisions which affect all our lives out of the depths of secret power politics with the clear light of day in some United Nations council."

But Mr. Willkie's cogency on the affairs of the day has been overshadowed in Republican minds by the truculence with which he has behaved toward the GOP. That was unforgiveable. He also wasn't able, as we have suggested, to build up an antithesis to Mr. Roosevelt. Finally, being rootless in the sense that he wasn't in a Governor's chair, and had already been defeated, he never looked like a winner. These three factors explain his submergence. But the GOP would throw away an Allied victory and condemn the United States and the world to another period of jungle existence if it decided to dispense with the Willkie message as well as the man. That message is more pertinent than ever. It may be more effective now that Mr. Willkie has thrown his personal ambitions overboard. When the glee has died down, the Hoosier may even come to be recognized as the great awakener of the Republican Party to those traditions which were cast aside in 1920.

Odessa

For the second time in three and a half years Odessa is under siege. Only this time the besiegers of 1941 are the besieged. It took the Germans two months of the fiercest fighting before they could overcome Russian resistance and take possession of Russia's great Black Sea port. It is most unlikely that the Russian siege of German-held Odessa will last that long or anything like it. Already Gen. Rodion Y. Malinovsky's Third Ukrainian Army has severed the last major rail and highway from Odessa to the west.

The only means of escape left to the beleaguered German garrison are by sea and by the single-tracked rail route to Ovidopol and then across the Dniester Lagoon to Akkerman. That isn't all. A German Dunkerque at Odessa would be under the grave disadvantage of having to overcome the opposition of the Russian Black Sea fleet. And, at the rate at which the Red army is moving on Odessa, it may not be long before the Odessa-Ovidipol-Akkerman route is also closed. Another, if lesser, Stalingrad thus appears to be in the making for the 100,000 German troops believed to be at Odessa.

The long-range consequences of the Russian recapture of that city would be considerable. It would complete the isolation of the German forces in the Crimea who for some time have had to be supplied exclusively by sea. It would help make the Black Sea once again a Russian lake. It would place Russia's land and sea forces within relatively easy striking distance of the Danube Delta. And it would certainly increase the pressure on Bulgaria to get out of the war. An incidental but important consequence of the recapture of Odessa would also be the entrapment of whatever German troops are by that time still left in the Ukraine, though this force is probably no longer great.

The speed of the Russian advance across Bessarabia and into Rumania proper suggests that the once slow and careful retreat of the Germans has given way to a panicky withdrawal to the safe shelter of the Carpathians. We conclude that what has been happening on the southern sector of the Eastern Front lately is a good deal more than a German defeat. It is a disaster.

A Job For Halsey

Admiral William F. Halsey, the hero of our greatest naval battle to date, has worked himself right out of an extremely interesting job. With the occupation of Emirau Island in the Bismarck Archipelago, he has just about completed the blockade and isolation of some 100,000 Japanese in his area of command. This is what Admiral Halsey was sent down to the south Pacific to accomplish. Now that he has accomplished it, according to dispatches from his headquarters, he is looking around for some new employment.

So enterprising a fellow ought to be able to find an opening somewhere. We take pleasure in recommending him to the Navy Department as a leader of verve and experience and a very high degree of pertinacity. The admiral is in no sense of the word a defeatist and may even be suspected of an almost excessive ebullience. In an interview on January 2, 1943, it may be remembered, he predicted "absolute defeat of the Axis forces" within that year. Well, the failure of his prophecy was certainly not attributable to any want of effort on his part.

Admiral Halsey made another observation in the course of the same interview which was at once more noteworthy and more characteristic. He was asked if he had sufficient material available in the south Pacific area. "No man in military history," he answered, "ever had enough men or material to do what he wanted, but they've all gone ahead and done it just the same." Whatever job the Navy next assigns to Halsey, we haven't a doubt he'll go ahead and do it.

SUNSET PASTORAL

New Mexico Sheep Ranch

Above the wind-tossed aspens,
gold as the fleece that Jason
pursued so long ago, the clouds
tumble in tawny honeycombs;
the shepherd going home
sees in the outflung oriflamme
the bright cloud-image of the Lamb.

. . . Silently graze the sheep
in close-cropped grass; the golden blaze
burns on their tangled fleece.
Silently they crowd
through dusty, golden air
up the steep path toward upland pastures
where in the waiting fold
the tinkling sheep-bells echo.

Beyond the outer gate
the shepherd waits. The sheep go by
nibbling the earth-sweet grasses there.
The shepherd herds them through the pass,
counting the stragglers, one by one,
while the Cloud-Lamb beyond the sky
flames in the dying sun.

KATHARINE KENNEDY.

Willkie's Defeat

By Mark Sullivan

His Fatal Tactics

FOR THE DEFEAT of Mr. Wendell L. Willkie, and his subsequent retirement from the Republican presidential race, there are two kinds of reasons. One kind has to do with ideas and principles. The other kind has to do with the, so-to-speak, mechanics of politics—which are much the same as the mechanics of any kind of organization into which men group themselves. The reasons having to do with ideas and principles are more important. But the reasons having to do with political mechanics are simpler to understand.

Students of politics, sufficiently equipped with knowledge of political history, might have foreseen Mr. Willkie's failure in a dispatch sent from Wisconsin on March 24 by an exceptionally penetrating newspaper correspondent covering Mr. Willkie's campaign tour. The correspondent was Mr. Dewey L. Fleming of the Baltimore Sun. Part of Mr. Fleming's dispatch, here condensed, read: "It is small wonder if Wisconsin and the whole of the United States are mystified by the kind of campaign Wendell L. Willkie is waging . . . He has spent about 75 per cent of his time spanking the Republican Party—with a 25 per cent expenditure of time in denunciation of the Democratic Administration at Washington. 'Why?' asks Wisconsin. 'Why?' asks the country."

AS POLITICAL strategy, this course of Mr. Willkie mystified and chilled Republican voters well disposed toward him. Others, it irritated and repelled. To criticize an organization harshly and at the same time ask the organization to make the critic its head is a perilous program in any kind of organization, from a political party to a high school fraternity. The rule works even in an association of two persons. Romeo Willkie was saying to Juliet GOP: "Your features are homely, your hair is stringy, your figure is unshapely—you're a mess. But I ask you to marry me. I'll streamline your features, give you a new hair-do, and teach you a new posture—I'll make you over." The lady was not favorably impressed.

Mr. Willkie ought to have known it would not work. He is a thorough student of American political history—and he must be familiar with what Theodore Roosevelt attempted with the Republican Party in 1912. That Roosevelt case and Mr. Willkie's are practically identical. Roosevelt demanded that the Republican Party adopt drastic reforms which he proposed, including recall of judicial decisions—and at the same time demanded that the party make him its presidential candidate. The party didn't.

Allied to this is another phase of Mr. Willkie's position which worked against him. Mr. Willkie was a reformer calling upon the Republican Party to abandon old policies and adopt new ones, including internationalism. What resulted is familiar history in many fields, including some far removed from politics. The organization adopts the reforms or parts of them—but chooses some other leader to carry them out. The original proposer of the reforms is unconsciously remembered as one associated with a discomforting experience of contention and upset.

THESE HANDICAPS to Mr. Willkie were accentuated by his personal political history. He had been a Democrat until a few years ago. This befogged some Republican voters. What they wanted in their nominee for the Presidency was a symbol of utter contrast with Mr. Roosevelt. As respects many policies, Mr. Willkie is a contrast. But the symbolism of contrast was marred somewhat by his former membership in the same party as Mr. Roosevelt. Mr. Willkie's friends felt that objection based on his former membership in the Democratic Party was cured by his having had the Republican nomination in 1940—that this made him a sufficiently orthodox Republican. But Mr. Willkie, in his recent campaign for the Republican nomination, revived the disquiet of Republican voters about his orthodoxy by what was pointed out about his speeches in Wisconsin—that 75 per cent of them were criticisms of the Republican Party, only 25 per cent criticisms of the Democratic Party. This course was a tribute to Mr. Willkie's candor—but accounted in large part for what happened.

Farther Or Further

Americans in general are not purists in the use of our language, perhaps from lack of drill in rhetoric.

Reading your article in The Post this morning, I was again reminded of the difference between farther and further, whch are often used indiscriminately though they have different meanings. Back in my student time at Harvard a professor took pains to point out that difference.

Farther indicates distance, without motion, e. g.: San Francisco is farther away than Denver.

Further is derived from forth, a word which indicates motion.

You wrote about the Russian army "as it moves farther and farther." Describing motion, it would have been more correct for you to say further and further.

The average reader would not notice the distinction, but I venture to point it out to you.

FRANCIS B. KEENE.
Washington, April 4.

Germany's Plan

By Paul Schubert

Resistance In The Balkans

THE RUSSIAN winter just past was the mildest in the memory of living man. It was so mild that the Russians complained about it. They said unseasonable midwinter thaws made roads impassable at a critical moment of their winter offensive, and upset transport based upon the conquering of roads deep in snow.

The Germans don't like Russia's cold. Theoretically, the winter just past should have favored them, since its mildness was what the Germans wanted and the Russians didn't want.

But when we look at the map and see the progress made by the Russians during this unfavorable winter, it's hard to see what comfort the Germans can find in East Front events since last autumn.

INDEED, the mild winter—an intangible, accidental factor of the war—may be responsible for Russia's ability to mount the present gun-jumping offensive toward the Balkans. It is early in the year for troop movements on such a massive scale. The Red army's push into Rumania and Poland must involve hundreds of thousands of men, all moving forward into "scorched earth" areas. Once more Russian transport is called on to perform the miracle of feeding and supplying these huge forces.

This offensive has forced the fighting of 1944.

The Germans and Rumanians, falling back everywhere, are not offering major resistance to the Russians—yet.

They intend to offer major resistance, later, according to "plan."

They have a plan, of course. If they had no plan, their retreat would be a rout and the war would be over.

Their plan may be an improvised plan. That's what we hope. We hope that the present Russian offensive has taken them by surprise and has upset the earlier plan by which they hoped to fight in 1944. Our enemies knew the Russians would try a spring offensive toward the Balkans—that was obvious from the nature of the front. They thought the offensive would come later—after the ground was firm. The mild Russian winter has made it possible to advance the attack, thanks to Russian determination to take full advantage of every favorable factor. And the German plan, which might have delayed or upset the Russian timetable, goes into the military wastebasket.

THE NEW PLAN has been set up to meet the new situation.

The new plan is a defensive plan.

The Germans feel sure that none of the Allied armies can penetrate the main defenses of the "Festung Europa," that mythical fortress ringing Hitler's part of the Continent. For 10 years Hitler has built up the idea of the impregnable wall which makes Germany safe from attack.

The belief in the strength of the European Fortress is Germany's "Maginot Line" complex.

The Germans also believed it would be impossible for Allied bombers to touch German soil—another of the myths they were told.

The intangible factor that has permitted Russia to start the spring offensive three or four weeks earlier may test the defenses of Hitler's fortress sooner than we think.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

Tax The Spenders

Commentator Marquis Childs referred in his Wednesday letter to some things that he saw and heard on his recent Odyssey around the country, mentioning first that he was in receipt of a letter from the Securities and Exchange Commission which advised that, out of America's war boom last year, individual Americans saved 37 billion dollars, of which only 13.8 billions had gone into Government bonds. The commentator noted what, perhaps, everybody has observed, that millions of Americans now have, for the first time in their lives, "folding money"—and are desperately trying to spend it. The commentator referred to an incident with a taxi driver, who told him that he had just paid $80 for a case of 12 pints of whisky—not for resale but for his own use. The commentator also referred to the London correspondent's report that dogs, on Fifth ave., were now wearing mink coats.

Our Treasury is having, as always, a desperate time to make ends meet. Its most dependable source of revenue is always what is called the "middle bracket" class. The "tax the corporation and big income boys" cry is about worn out. They are taxed. The "under-exemption" class can't be taxed more or they would starve or become a public charge. What about these fellows who have more money than they know what to do with—and whose prolific spending keeps prices up? Congress has the taxing power. If they don't know how to fix it, perhaps Fourth Grade Johnny could help them out.

WILBUR H. CLOSE.
Washington, D. C., April 1.

"Objector's" Pay

I want to thank you for your editorial, "Jobs for Objectors."

The editorial shows consideration, understanding, and appreciation of this minority of the Nation's youth who cannot conscientiously participate in war. I commend you for your fairness and positiveness of your democratic attitude.

I call your attention to one statement in the editorial which may be misleading. You say "At the present time the C. O.'s assigned to civilian public service camps receive maintenance and from $2.50 to $15 a month." Except for the two governmental camps both located in the West, persons assigned to civilian public service camps receive no pay and in addition they, or their religious group, pay for their own maintenance. The camps are not financed by the Government but basic equipment (such as stoves, cots, blankets, etc.) are provided by the selective service system.

Mrs. GROVER L. HARTMAN.
Washington, March 25.

Blood Donor Medals

The article in your paper concerning service ribbons for streetcar and bus operators in the District of Columbia was rather interesting and amusing.

I suggest that your paper campaign for a service ribbon to be worn by the men and women now in or about to enter the service of their country that have donated 4 or more pints of blood to the Red Cross, whether done during civilian life or after entering the service.

There are thousands of service men and women that during civilian life donated blood to the Red Cross and continued to do so after entering the service. As civilians they were allowed to wear a button to show they donated their blood for a good cause, but after entering the service they were not, and are not entitled to wear any such button.

B. L. B.
Silver Spring, Md., April 5.

Schaffausen Incident

I want to thank you for your frank editorial on the regrettable Schaffhausen incident. I am sure it reflects the viewpoint of all Americans in whom the smugness and conceit of the age has not quenched the fine sense of moral responsibility which constitutes the best of our American heritage.

To a German a similar incident would have meant little more than a diplomatic nuisance, to us it must mean everything else, for it symbolizes the very thing that we're fighting for: the inalienable right for the human person to be respected and in the same sense the person of independent nations, in fact or in spirit.

It is significant that however great the sorrow or anger caused in the heart of the Swiss people, directly affected, it will never surpass the anger found here at the news, the "maddest" people of all will be Americans.

Americans have, probably much without knowing it (and there is the danger) the greatest sense of responsibility of all nations. For carelessness, they want no excuse. However, in the light of what has been said has not one the right to ask: is the Swiss incident the first instance of carelessness on our part with regard to other nations in the conduct of the war? Will it be the last? This is the first serious "diplomatic" incident of the kind, however, to those well informed it is not the first instance of a questionably responsible use of the power of destruction war has placed in our hands.

Much bombing and destruction in occupied countries has occurred which was not warranted by the most absolute necessity.

If carelessness on our part be indicative of a certain complacency, then let us get "mad" at ourselves, let us assume our absolute responsibilities, and if any irresponsibilities can be traced to groups let the responsible deal with the irresponsible within.

RAYMOND B. YOUNG, JR.
Washington, April 3.

Sports For Soldiers

I have been a subscriber to the Stars and Stripes, Mediterranean edition, and have noted with interest and satisfaction the emphasis put by the military authorities in that theater on sports activities of many kinds for our boys in the service.

In the February 19, 1944, issue of Stars and Stripes is a full-page description of the Allied boxing championship contests staged as the finale of a great tournament at St. Eugene Stadium. Here's part of the description: "Roaring into the home stretch, the Fifth Army and CD forces, including Arabs, Frenchmen, Americans, British, and a Jap-Hawaiian, completely dominate the first picture. At this writing each section has 10 survivors on deck. Definitely in the title finals are six CD stalwarts and four Fifth Army men."

On the opposite page are pictured Col. Leo T. David, Natousa special service chief, Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, Vice Admiral H. Kent Hewitt, Lieut. Gen. Jacob L. Devers and Gen. Paul Devnick, all interestedly watching the proceedings. Then there is a group of pictures of the contestants themselves.

Evidently these sports contests are well sponsored, and I assume from the space given by Stars and Stripes to these and other contests given the heartiest support by the great majority of officers and enlisted men in all branches of the service.

HARRY R. LEE.
Washington, March 29.

Nazis Collect Art

By Paul Winkler

Ruthless Looting

Recently a favorite theme of German propaganda has been that Americans are "materialistically minded representatives of a bathtub civilization who have no understanding of the artistic values of Europe and the deep roots of European culture." The bombing of the Abbey of Monte Cassino (which the German soldiers, no doubt solely because their love for beautiful things was so great that they demanded artistic surroundings even in battle, were using as a fortress) gave Dr. Goebbel's propagandists an opportunity to embellish this theme. But during the last war, it was the Germans who produced a considerable literature to justify their destruction of the Cathedral of Rheims.

We may find proof of Germany's deep concern for art and for culture in the eagerness with which her armies take possession of as much of it as they can. The theory that the motive is the disinterested one of preserving art, however, comes up with a sharp bump when we observe their attitude toward cultural monuments too bulky or too immovable to be shipped to Germany. Then their common reaction is simply to destroy, with no pretense that military necessity provokes their action.

The policy of the Germans toward art in occupied countries, as it may be deduced from their actions, is this:

1. All movable art objects in private collections whose owners had escaped from German-controlled territory plus all art objects owned by Jewish dealers are shipped to Germany.

2. In countries from which the Germans are obliged to retreat (like Russia and southern Italy), they take with them all movable art objects from both private and public collections.

3. Art treasures which cannot be carried off to Germany are simply destroyed, without reason, before the German armies retreat.

Wanton Destruction

The ruthless destruction of irreplaceable treasures in Naples has already been fully reported in the press. Now the news is beginning to come through of what the Germans did in Russia, as the advancing Red army reoccupies territories abandoned by the Nazis. The museum palaces of Peterhof, Pushkin, Pavlovsk and Gatchina in the Leningrad area were not only completely looted by the Germans, but the buildings themselves and their undetachable sculpture and murals were destroyed. The major works of some of the greatest Russian and western European architects, sculptors and painters has disappeared.

The second palace of Peterhof, Mon Plaisir, the favorite residence of Peter the Great, with its famous ceilings painted by Pillement, is today a heap of ruins. Thus the Germans, who have regularly described themselves as the bulwark of civilization against the barbarous Bolsheviks, have destroyed the artistic patrimony left by the Czars, which the Russian revolutionists were careful to spare and to protect. The Soviets had preserved the artistic monuments left from such flourishing reigns as those of Peter the Great and Catherine II.

Art Collectors

In the face of this, it is difficult to believe that some of the beneficiaries of German looting regard themselves, with a curiously twisted sincerity, as lovers and patrons of the arts. A neutral diplomat, who talked to Marshal Goering in Berlin some months ago, reports that when he smiled ironically at Goering's boasts concerning the fine Rembrandts and Raphaels he has in his castle of Karinhall, Goering said:

"Smile if you like, but remember that all great conquerors acquired treasures of art through their victories—and remember also that I pay for my acquisitions."

It is true that Goering "pays" for his collection. Not all the art objects taken from the occupied countries are simply stolen. Some are paid for—but in occupation marks; and the deal is made with owners unable to refuse, for the alternative to a sale, as they know very well, will eventually be confiscation.

There is sometimes lively competition among Nazi bigwigs for "sales" of this kind. The Ministry of Economic Affairs, Heinrich Himmler's Elite Guard art experts, or Goering's private agents may all be in the chase for particularly valuable pieces found on occupied territory. Few discoveries remain to be made today in the field of classic art, for the Germans went into the various countries equipped at the very beginning with careful catalogues of the chief art treasures existing in them, prepared in advance by art experts of Berlin. Thus in Holland a private collector who owned a small Durer not in any catalogue was surprised when a German expert called at his home immediately after the occupation and demanded the painting.

Attempts to hide art treasures from the Germans were rarely successful because of their minute knowledge of the ownership of valuable works of art. In France a well known art dealer was executed for "illegally" hiding paintings which the Germans knew he owned, and in Holland there were several cases of torturing of art dealers to force them to reveal where they had hidden paintings.

War Criticism

By Ernest Lindley

Current Wave Of Anxiety

LINDLEY

THE CURRENT WAVE of criticism and anxiety about the conduct of foreign policy and of the war, at least in the Italian theater and in Burma, is somewhat similar to that which swept through the country in September and October, 1942. Then our first small counter-offensive against the Japanese, on Guadalcanal, was going badly. The Germans were well into the Caucasus and seemed only too likely to camp on the Volga for the winter. The battle of El Alamein began late in October, but the successes to follow were not yet visible. The American-British descent on French North Africa had not yet begun; there was no outward sign anywhere of an important offensive by American forces. Both President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill were being criticized freely. It was publicly charged, in fact, that they had no strategy, no plans.

In November and December the whole picture changed. Guadalcanal was saved—although further progress up the ladder of the Solomons was to be disappointingly slow. The landings in French Africa were successful—although the first attempt to take Tunis and Bizerte failed by a narrow margin. Rommel fled before Montgomery, but with such skill that much of his army was able to fight until the final surrender in Tunisia. The Germans were stopped at Stalingrad and thrown back with heavy losses.

THESE WERE turning points in the war. Criticism of Roosevelt and Churchill and of the American and British professional commands dwindled. They continued to meet at short intervals and, whatever their differences were over military policy, they were composed.

A meeting of minds with the Russians was not so easily achieved, however. In fact, many western observers thought until Moscow and Teheran that the Russians might make a separate peace.

In so far as they are directed at the conduct of military operations, criticisms now current will either be washed away or greatly aggravated by events during the next few months. The great invasion of Europe, toward which the Western Allies have been working for two years, will be the real test.

If the invasion is a success, it may also relieve some of the doubts expressed about our foreign policy. There are many questions on which the western allies can speak with greater authority when their armies have won a solid footing on the European continent.

As the time for the invasion of Europe by the western Allies approaches, the most important question is whether it will be properly coordinated with further Russian offensives. Such coordination was the first order of business at Teheran, and, without doubt, it was agreed upon.

NEXT IN importance, probably, is agreement among the three major allies on the terms of the German surrender. This was discussed at Teheran. Since then negotiations and discussions have continued. Priority has been given to military occupation of Germany and to other details of the armistice. The major allies may find it less difficult to agree on these than on some of the longer-range questions of Europe's future. At any rate, for purposes of operation, agreement on the armistice and the occupation should come first.

Meanwhile, the Russian pronouncement concerning Rumania was perfectly designed to encourage Rumania to leave the war and to soften the doubts of other small nations concerning Russia's postwar intentions. Also, it was in full harmony with the Atlantic Charter and the Declaration of Moscow.

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Significance Of Wisconsin Results

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NEW YORK—It seems a shame to raise even a slight suspicion of doubt dampening the pleasure of those forces within the Republican Party celebrating the defeat of Wendell Willkie in the Wisconsin primary. Leaders of the stop-Willkie movement can congratulate themselves. Whether by their effort or by his own, Willkie has been stopped all right.

He staked everything on the outcome in Wisconsin. He repeatedly told his audiences the Nation was watching what he said was one of the most important elections in many years. Now he steps out, recognizing the inevitable.

WHAT EFFECT the outcome in Wisconsin may have on the election in November is another matter. Willkie in his strenuous 13-day tour of the State was appealing to the independent and the labor vote. He was appealing to the independents to help him make the Republican party an effective political instrument worthy of support.

The results in Wisconsin show that this appeal went unheeded. Regular Republicans came out and voted for regular candidates—Dewey, Stassen and MacArthur. At the same time they were voting against Willkie.

It is a revealing sidelight that three delegates running on the designation "Against Willkie"—that and nothing more—each received a sizable vote. They were not elected but enough people voted solely "against Willkie" to add up to a respectable total.

The vote in the Democratic primary, while much smaller than the Republican, was larger than had been expected, especially in certain districts. The Democrats had no contest, of course, since F. D. R. was their only presidential candidate. Apparently if the labor and independent vote was recorded at all, it was in the Democratic column.

I think Willkie was right when he said in Wisconsin that to win in the fall, the Republican Party must attract at least a portion of the Independent vote. That is the thought which should sober the stop-Willkie men who are gloating over Tuesday's returns.

The results in Wisconsin will tend to confirm the belief—especially in the light of Willkie's appeal—that the GOP is the party of extreme conservatism. The largest vote in the Republican primary was cast for Secretary of State Fred Zimmerman, running as a delegate-at-large pledged to Dewey. Zimmerman is America First, a rabid isolationist, a bitter foe of Willkie.

A PRELIMINARY survey of the returns indicates, however, that the combined vote for Willkie and Stassen was perhaps greater than the total vote cast for the Dewey delegates. Both Stassen and Willkie have been strong for international cooperation. The Republicans may claim that in rejecting Willkie, the voters of Wisconsin did not repudiate a program of international collaboration.

In the last few days of the campaign, a great deal of work was done to offset Willkie's tour in Wisconsin. Although presumably no national organization was working for Dewey and he had specifically requested withdrawal of his delegates, at the last minute considerable money was spent for his candidacy.

Just before the election, 220,000 Dewey pamphlets were sent out by mail and time was taken on the radio. It would be interesting to know how this was financed.

Willkie, it is now obvious, was working against the historical tradition of the Republican Party. The GOP has always been allergic to strong personal leadership. Teddy Roosevelt was an exception to the Tafts and the Coolidges.

What I said in yesterday's column is today more true than ever. Governor Dewey appears to be proof against any assault. Having strength, he will attract more strength.

Child's Death Caused by Whisky, Coroner Reports

Pittsburgh, April 6 (AP).—Two-year-old James White died last night from what the coroner's office reported was acute alcoholic poisoning after he had taken a bottle of whisky from a refrigerator and drank part of it.

The child's aunt, Mrs. Mary Inserra, said he obtained the bottle while she was cleaning a bedroom and was sitting on the floor, the bottle partly emptied, when she discovered him.

Coroner William D. McClelland reported it was the second case case here within two weeks of a child dying from acute alcoholism. In a statement he called on parents "to see that alcoholic drinks are kept in a place inaccessable and beyond the reach of innocent and unsuspecting tots."

Dates were raised on the banks of the Euphrates more than 4000 years ago.

Navy Orchestra's Concert To Feature 2 Soloists

Musician William Arsers, horn, who won national high school championship honors in 1939, and William T. Cameron, harp, formerly head of the National High School Orchestra Army's Harp Department, will be featured soloisits at the Navy Band Symphony Orchestra's concert tonight at 8:30 p. m. in the Departmental Auditorium, Constitution ave. and 13th st. nw.

Arsers will play Mozart's Concerto III with the orchestra, and Cameron will do the solo in an offering of "Estrellita," by Ponce. Other selections will be Tschaikowsky's "Serenade," Johann Strauss' "Emperor Waltzes" Opus 437, and Paul Nero's "Gershwin Fantasy."

The concert is free and open to the public.

In relation to national incomes, Britain is giving the United States almost as much as the United States gives her.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"As a atriotic neighbor it's the least I can do every evening until YOUR husband comes back."

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

IT HASN'T LEAKED OUT YET, but Lauchlin Currie, hard-working deputy chief of the Foreign Economic Administration under Leo Crowley, has been urging that we do a little cracking down on neutral Sweden.

Reason for Currie's urging is that the Swedes of late have stuck their necks out unnecessarily to help the Nazis. While it is recognized that the Swedes are in a tough spot, nevertheless no one can forgive them for sending SKF ball-bearing experts to Schweinfurt to build up the ball-bearing works there which U. S. bombers, at a cost of 60 planes and 600 men, had knocked out.

The SKF company of Sweden did not own the Schweinfurt plant, was under no obligation to the Nazis, and had no material interest in the factory. Nevertheless, word has trickled back to Washington that the Swedes sent men to Germany to rebuild the plant.

Washington indignation has centered on the SKF ball-bearing company in the U. S. A. Of course, the SKF in this country is an American corporation, therefore probably not subject to seizure or retaliation. Nevertheless, as it is largely owned by the Swedes, resentment here is strong.

Chief opponent to Currie regarding Sweden is Winfield Riefler, FEA representative in London. Recently returned to the United States, he has urged the President to continue to cooperate with the Swedes by sending them strategic materials. It is now up to the President.

National Vote Slump

THE GALLUP POLL people have made a so far off-the-record survey which show that only about 37 million civilians will vote next November. This is due to two factors. One is that around 10 million young men are in the armed forces. The other is that millions of warworkers have migrated away from their homes and either have not registered, or else cannot register where they live now.

This Gallup survey is one of the most disturbing factors haunting Roosevelt political supporters. They figure that, if only 37 million people vote, the President cannot win.

In 1940, around 50 million people voted. If 13 million of these are missing this year, brain-trusters figure that most of those failing to vote would be workers or soldiers who ordinarily would support the President.

Here is the tabulation worked out by some of Roosevelt's political friends as to how the voting would help or hurt him.

If 40 million vote, the President would lose.

If 45 million vote, he might win.

If 50 million vote, he is sure to win.

If 55 million vote he not only would win but would carry Congress.

That is one reason behind the Democrats' urge to get people to register and to get the soldiers to vote.

Army Furloughs

YOUNG CONGRESSMAN Henry ("Scoop") Jackson of Washington has just been mustered out of the Army to go back to Congress. One of his first acts after getting into civilian clothes was to call on Lieutenant General McNair, head of Army Ground Forces, and effect a major change in handling men about to go overseas.

He told McNair that one big gripe of the boys was that they often got no chance to visit their homes before being shipped abroad. All men were given seven-day furloughs regardless of where they lived—even if their homes were on the West Coast and they were in camp on the East Coast.

So the Army has now agreed to the following:

1. No man will be sent overseas without getting a 10-day furlough.

2. This furlough provides that he will actually get 10 days at home, plus time to travel from his base and back.

War Planner Nathan

MOST PEOPLE have forgotten about it, but the man who did more to straighten out the Army regarding its extravagant over-ordering of trucks, tanks and shells was Bob Nathan of the War Production Board planning committee.

For months, Nathan battled Lieut. Gen. B. B. Somervell, told him he was getting too many tanks, too much artillery, too many trucks, and that this over-ordering of ground weapons was hurting the more essential air program, plus the production of high-octane gas and escort vessels.

In the end, Nathan was proved right but, during the battle, the Army, bitter and vindictive, drafted him. In no other country would the Army have been permitted to draft such a key planner. It was especially ludicrous in view of the fact that Nathan has had a spinal ailment for years.

After donning a uniform, Nathan spent most of his time in a hospital at the taxpayers' expense, finally was discharged by Army doctors.

However, one good thing has come out of Nathan's brief military service. While sitting in the hospital he had time to write a book, "Mobilizing for Abundance." It outlines a lot of important lessons the Nation has learned from the war, or should have learned, and is a vitally important contribution to postwar planning.

Brother and Sister Kellems

ONE THING which most people have overlooked about Miss Vivien Kellems is the political operations of one of her brothers.

Politicos who read her lengthy anti-Administration verbal barrage aimed at Congressman Coffee figured that she was just unloading personal spleen, perhaps tied up with her unsuccessful race against Clare Luce in Connecticut for the Republican nomination to Congress in 1942.

However, the lady has a brother who is just as rabid against Roosevelt as his anti-tax sister. He is Dr. Jesse Randolph Kellems of Los Angeles, reactionary, isolationist Republican. Like his sister, Dr. Kellems has congressional ambitions. He is running as the Republican candidate for the seat of Congressman Will Rogers, jr., of Los Angeles, who is returning to the Army. Ex-Lieut. Gov. Ellis Patterson is the Democratic candidate against Kellems and, to date, has the best chance to win.

So, one way or the other, the country will hear more from the Kellems family before November is over.

Show Time in the Downtown Theaters

STAGE

National—"A Connecticut Yankee," 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Earle—"Shine On, Harvest Moon" at 11 a. m., 1:40, 4:30, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:50, 6:35 and 9:20 p. m.

Capitol—"Heavenly Body" at 11:10, 1:50, 4:35, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1:25, 4:05, 6:50 and 9:30 p. m.

Palace—"Song of Bernadette," at 10 a. m., 12:50, 3:40, 6:30 and 9:20 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Ali Baba and the 40 Thieves" at 11:35 a. m., 1:35, 3:40, 5:45, 7:45 and 9:50 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Round the World" at 11:40 a. m., 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40 and 9:40 p. m.

Columbia—"Purple Heart," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30 and 9:40 p. m.

Ambassador—"Shine On, Harvest Moon" at 1, 3:05, 5:10, 7:20 and 9:30 p. m.

Little—"The Scarlet Pimpernel," 11:25 a. m., 1:25, 3:25, 5:30, 7:30 and 9:40 p. m.

Pix—"Career Girl," at 2:10, 5, 7:50 and 10:20 p. m. "Men On Her Mind" at 3:20, 6:10 and 9 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreels and shorts, at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 p. m.

Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

Science Goes Sappy In 'Heavenly Body'; Capitol Revue Brief

TO BEGIN WITH, don't be deceived by the title of the new picture at Loew's Capitol Theater.

"The Heavenly Body," so far as the screen reveals, refers to a new comet which Prof. William S. Whitley, noted astronomer, scientist and mathematician, has figured will make its appearance in the heavens in a certain place at a certain time, remain visible for a period calculated to the split second and then collide with the moon. It has nothing to do with Hedy Lamarr, and only by remote control with William Powell, the costars.

So absorbed in his discovery does Prof. Whitley become that his neglected wife consults a lady astrologer, who casts up weekly horoscopes of uncanny accuracy, as to the future of her connubial bliss—if any.

Mrs. Sybill, the zodiacal soothsayer, predicts that within a specified period a new interest will enter Mrs. Whitley's life, and so it does, precisely at the time her husband is supposed to be delivering a learned lecture on the celestial phenomenon to an assembled audience of the world's great minds. Professor Whitley, unfortunately, has one eye on a lesser telescope at the moment, aimed at his helpmate's rendezvous with the air-raid warden who seems to have fulfilled Madame Sybill's prophecy.

Such is the basis upon which Michael Arlen and Walter Reisch, ordinarily two writers of uncommon perspicacity, have based as preposterous a scenario as ever bogged down the considerable abilities of two popular and able players.

These distinguished playwrights seem to have lost sight of the fact that even the baldest farce must be predicated upon a believable premise to achieve any humorous, let alone hilarious, effect.

They have so fashioned the character of Professor Whitley as to convey the implication that Dr. Albert Einstein, for example, at heart is an Oliver Hardy, Red Skelton or Lou Costello, and thereby have dissipated the value of their script as completely as that collision with the moon did the comet.

Not Without Laughs

There are moments, of course, when laughter runs fairly high, but they are sporadic and disconnected. This must have become apparent to the authors, else they would not have gone all-out in the direction of extraneous interpolation by introducing a scene of rough-and-tumble slapstick, with the proper method for a teetotaler to drink a few quarts of vodka at its root. Mr. Powell is the victim—in more ways than one—of this pointless episode. Miss Lamarr escapes any prostitution of her talents quite so desperate.

The co-stars and their principal associates must have been very unhappy about the whole thing. Mr. Powell, evidently conscious that the best he could do would not be good enough to salvage a bad job, goes to the opposite extreme and portrays the learned Whitley with quite the profundity of a Groucho Marx. Miss Lamarr and James Craig, as the wife and third angle of the trumped-up triangle, suffer lesser indignities more calmly and why magnificent forbearance.

Fay Bainter, Spring Byington and Henry O'Neill are largely wasted and the rest do not matter. The comet and the moon are not bad!

Horse Is Headliner

The Capitol's new stage bill, introduced by two feminine pages, is opened by Bert Nagle and Hulja, in their familiar interval of animalistic acrobatics, appropriately dubbed "The Cat," follows with the rotund Stubby Kaye, in a lusty stretch of monologue, song and fleeting impersonations, and closes with the Portuguese Ruberto De Vasconcellos and his marvelously trained dancing horse, whose name may be either Belmonte or Victor, I wouldn't be sure which. But whatever, this aristocratic equine must be the Carmen Amaya or the Paul Draper of its race. There is unique artistry here.

A "Magic Carpet" Technicolor scenic subject, "Mormon Trails"; a Terrytoon comedy, also in color, "Mighty Mouse"; an unusually interesting Fox Movietone News and Sam Jack Kaufman's Easter overture, with splendid vocals by Lynn Allison, Bob Nicholson and Bobbie Simpson, complete the bill.

HEDDA HOPPER

An Old Team Clicks!

Hollywood, Calif., April 6.—Charlotte Greenwood replaces Bob Hope during his air vacation. The interesting thing is that she got the job on a couple of scripts written by her husband, Martin Broones, who's never before written for radio. Martin has helped write many Broadway and London successes. He was responsible for putting two of our biggest song writers into Metro. They are now big producers. There are only two kinds of ungrateful people—those who have borrowed money from you and those you've helped. Darryl Zanuck called Charlotte up to congratulate her on her fine performance in "Home in Indiana." Yes, if you wait long enough you'll get what you deserve in this world.

KATHARINE HEPBURN

For Strong Men

If Mark Hellinger survives the shots he's taking to go overseas as a correspondent, his friends think he'll survive overseas. . . . Before John Ford left he wanted both Nunnally Johnson and Gene Fowlew to join up with his outfit, which is all very hush-hush. . . . Vincent Youmans arrives at Warner's next week to work on his life story. "Sometimes I'm Happy." . . . After months of toil Metro finally has a good script from "Without Love" for Spencer Tracy and Katherine Hepburn.

Gag Never Fails

Remember Frank Bacon in "Lightin'" telling how he'd marshalled a bunch of bees across the desert and never lost a bee? Well, it looks to me as though that's what Charlie Seinfeld's aiming to do with frogs. He has hired Al Jeremy, the boy who revived the frog derby for the Boy's Club here, to go East and whip up a contest with the New York Boy's Club, which numbers 25,000 members. He'd have you understand they can't get any accommodations for Al and the frogs in New York. He denies he'll chaperone the beasts across the continent. When I asked whether it was just a coincidence that "Mark Twain" was to open in the big town at the same time as the contest, I thought he'd break right down and bawl.

Fame at Last

The Bed Pan, Fort Bragg's sheet, wants my puss to hang in their rogue's gallery. G. I. Joes asked for it . . . "Goldwyn's Golden Touch," running in a current magazine, is one of the better stories about Sam, but the real yarn about Sam Goldwyn hasn't yet been written. His golden touch started when he married Frances Howard in 1925. I knew him before—and after.

Hollywood's Friend

William Farnum again does "The Master Is Coming" at our Easter sunrise service from Forest Lawn. He does a superb job and he's been doing it for years. Hey, fellows! How about remembering him when you're handing out jobs? . . . Judith Anderson, a fine actress, has signed for "Laura," Otto Preminger's next . . . Cecilia Coplan insists that Gary Cooper play Ernie Pyle in "G. I. Joe" . . . A dear old lady who's been acting in pictures 25 years said to me, "Miss Hopper, I've worked for everybody, but since doing a picture with Olsen and Johnson, I don't know whether they're the greatest comics unhung or whether they're crazy and should be in a padded cell." Lady, I don't know either.

Here and There

Edward Mannix and Joseph Schenck were off to Mexico City before you could say "Guadalcanal." Buddy De Sylva, with Lou Silvers, will be heading for Nassau and the Bahamas. Buddy tells me his writers are getting quite a good story out of "Stork Club," and it isn't at all as some folks have pictured it—with Walter Winchell sitting like a huge octopus in one corner of the room with all his tentacles unwound, waiting for such fellows as Harold Ross, Westbrook Pegler, Ed Sullivan, and Martin Dies. It's more like "Wonder Bar." You may recall, that musical Al Jolson made umpteen years ago with Dolores Del Rio.

LEONARD LYONS

Loose-Leaf Notebook

New York, April 6.—When an art critic suggested to the President that the Government should subsidize art projects, the President replied that he didn't believe legislation for this purpose could be passed at this time. "But art is being subsidized now, in bequests from large estates," said the President. "Many wealthy people, after studying the inheritance tax tables, say, 'I'd rather leave my money to art, than to that Roosevelt.'" . . . Marlene Dietrich will do a novel routine for the G. I.'s overseas. She'll change clothes onstage, and play a musical saw.

MARLENE DIETRICH

Last Sunday Gertrude Lawrence invited Jose Ferrer to appear on her Sunday radio show. "Sorry," said Ferrer, one of the stars in "Othello," "but there's an Actors' Fund benefit at 'Voice of the Turtle' that night, and my wife and I have tickets. This may be our only chance to see it." Ferrer would have received $1,000 for this broadcast, but took his wife to see the hit play . . . When Mrs. Roosevelt returned from her Caribbean tour last week, she brought for the President's collection a model of a "jangada"—a South American river boat.

George Cukor, who will direct the movie adaptation of Moss Hart's Air Force play, "Winged Victory," saw the show the other night. Lieut. Col. William Wyler was mentioned at first for the director's job. "It will make an excellent movie," said Wyler, but I didn't join the Army to make Hollywood movie. I joined to make documentary films—in action." . . . Col. Carlos P. Romulos new book will be called "My Brother Americans," about the people he's met on his tours of the Nation. . . . Oscar Levant, who was the guest soloist with Toscanini Sunday, was asked how it feels to play with Toscanini. "You don't play with Toscanini," said Levant. "You play under him."

Quentin Reynolds, who interviewed Cardinal Hinsley of Ireland, tells of his visit to London and of the cardinal's meeting with the Archbishop of Canterbury. When they left the meeting place the archbishop suggested to the cardinal that they share a cab. "I see no reason why we shouldn't ride together," said the Archbishop of Canterbury. "After all, we are both engaged in doing the Lord's work." . . . "Quite true, quite true," Cardinal Hinsley agreed, "we're both doing the Lord's work—you in your way, and I in His."

Jim Farley, who attended the Democratic get-together at the Waldorf on Saturday, pleaded a "previous engagement" and left at 10—in time to miss Senator Wagner's fourth term speech. . . . Billy Rose, proprietor of the Diamond Horseshoe, was asked what effect the new 30 per cent tax would have on night club business. "Oh, I guess our customers will get used to it," he said, "and if not, then we'll get used to it."

A reporter who covered the New York Times Forum, at which Henry Kaiser, Walter Reuther and Eric Johnston spoke, sent a brief summary to his editor: "Kaiser had charm, Reuther had ideas—and Johnston had the most beautiful double-breasted suit I've ever seen" . . . Bob Casey, the war correspondent and author of "Such Interesting People," still is waiting for the Navy to release his manuscript about submarines. Casey is the one who wrote the censored dispatch, "Of the two ships sunk by the Japs at Pearl Harbor, seven will be refloated" . . . Representative Magnuson of Seattle will try to be Homer T. Bone's successor as the Senator from Washington.

Pvt. Edmund O'Brien, the film star whose performance in "Winged Victory" is one of the season's best, was visited in his dressing room by his former commanding officer. While O'Brien was dressing, the officer played gin rummy, for no stakes, with Pvt. Don Taylor, the movie actor who plays one of the three leading roles. Taylor won. "Inasmuch as I lost, allow me," said the officer to Taylor—and helped the private put on his coat . . . Jimmy Durante's book, which Doubleday, Doran will publish, will be called "Durante: Patron of the Arts" . . . Albert Einstein sent printed postcard acknowledgements to those who sent him birthday greetings on his sixty-fifth birthday. The card explained, "It was soon borne upon me that my sixty-sixth birthday would dawn before I got them all acknowledged, though I flatter myself that I am not unused to toil."

CSC Seeks Workers

An appeal for carpenters, electricians, painters, pipefitters, plumbers, plasterers, and steamfitters living within 50 miles of Washington to take Government jobs here at salaries up to $2260 a year, including overtime, was issued yesterday by the Civil Service Commission. No written test or maximum age limit are required.

AMUSEMENTS

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A TREE GROWS IN BROOKLYN
By BETTY SMITH
A TOP
NATIONAL FICTION BEST SELLER FOR THIRTY WEEKS
HARPER
America's Favorite Story Teller
LOUIS BROMFIELD
creates another great woman character.
What Became of ANNA BOLTON
"A simply told and unassuming story, centered in the figure of a proud Irish girl from an American town. This is an appealing novel which is hard to lay down and hard to forget."—Mary Ross, N. Y. Herald Tribune Book Review
"Mr. Bromfield is by nature a swift narrator . . . he never writes a dull page. Deeper than the surface vivacity is his ability to charge his books with the strong electricity of his own experience."—Edward Weeks, The Atlantic Monthly
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This Morning

—With Shirley Povich

Two very unhappy gents shuffled out of their chairs and departed from the premises at Uline's Arena the other night after Aaron Perry dropped the decision to Sammy Angott. They were Mr. Nat Rogers and Mr. Harry Markson, who function as matchmaker and publicity man, respectively, for Mr. Mike Jacobs' Madison Square Garden Corp. They had hoped to return to Jacobs with a thrilling tale of how Perry licked Angott.

POVICH

Jacobs dispatched Rogers and Markson to Washington with orders to grab off Perry for a main bout in New York if the Washington lad got by Angott.. That would have made Perry hot stuff in New York, where they like anybody who can beat Angott. But Angott messed up the works more than slightly by beating Perry and now the Garden Corp. has lost Perry as a ready-made eventer. Jacobs had hoped to bill him on top in his next New York appearance.

The Garden emissaries expressed no interest in Angott, the winner of the fight. Angott means nothing in New York where the customers have become bored with his hit-and-run, Willie the Clutch tactics. The Garden folks concede that Angott is a fine fighter, but he is not box office. Even in a period when good fighters are scarce and the Garden has been forced to rematch Beau Jack to a frazzle, the Garden wanted Perry to win, not Angott. A new face was important to the Garden.

It would have been a breeze to sell Perry in New York if the Garden had a decision over Angott to work with. They would be bringing in a lad who had licked the man who three times has licked Lightweight Champion Bob Montgomery, a top attraction in the Garden. And only last January, the sensational Beau Jack could get no better than a draw with Angott in the Garden.

But the Garden is still saying "Nix!" to Angott. What they want is a man who can beat him and Jacobs was hopeful that young Perry would emerge as that commodity. In his two Garden appearances, in preliminary bouts, Perry showed Jacobs a knockout wallop, and the Garden boss was entertaining a vision of Perry tagging Angott with a long-shot right and thus catapulting himself into the Garden as a new sensation.

The report that Matchmaker Rogers took back to Jacobs was not too dreary, however. The Garden envoys could tell of Perry's ability to take everything Angott threw and how he commanded a wholesome respect from the clever Angott. Perry will still make the Garden, but now a build-up is required, and he'll fight at the St. Nick's Arena before he can be billed as a Garden main-eventer.

Harry Garsh, Perry's manager, apparently hasn't taught the lad a whole lot. Perry has only the assets he started with, a remarkable ability to hit with either hand, a beautiful composure, and a zest for fighting. He's no faster than he was as an amateur, and his boxing skill is still nil. Garsh, who has been taking bows all over the place for the wonders he said he had worked with Perry, has been occupied chiefly with the fear that somebody might steal his fighter from him.

Despite the fact Perry emerged from the Angott fight undamaged, Garsh is still bringing him along with a rapidity that may not be good. He put him in with Angott despite the fact Perry had been boxing professionally for only eight months and obviously wasn't ready for that kind of opposition.

All of Garsh's lofty declarations, that "I'm not going to rush this boy," seem to have evaporated in Garsh's effort to extract the most from his 18-year-old fighter before the Army grabs him. Garsh is staging a race with induction, and thus far it has been very profitable, with the Perry-Garsh team drawing down approximately $4000 for the Angott beating.

There can be no quarrel, though, with the latest match Garsh has signed for Perry. It's the bout with Lew Hanbury on April 17 at Uline's. That's one Perry figures to win. He'll have a big weight advantage and he'll have, also, an opponent who will mix it with him, in contrast to Angott.

Hanbury can't fight any other way. His enthusiasm for punishing is even greater than Perry's though he lacks Perry's fire-power. Hanbury is smarter than Perry, but he can't punch with him. As far as it goes, it should be a swell fight, with Perry figuring to stop Hanbury. From this fight, though, Perry does not figure to emerge unmarked.

Nats Beat Orioles, 1-0, Behind 2-Hit Pitching

Wynn, Wolff Impressive At Ft. Meade

By Shirley Povich

Fort George C. Meade, Md., April 6.—To the tune of band music provided by Italian prisoners of war based here, the Nats wrenched a 1-to-0 victory from the Baltimore Orioles today before an audience of 6000 soldiers.

The lone run of the tight pitching duel was a gift from Right Fielder Riley of the Orioles, who bobbled a single by Joe Kuhel in the sixth inning, enabling Roberto Ortiz to score al the way from first base.

The Nats did not exactly thrill Manager Ossie Bluege with their hitting against two Baltimore rookies who gave up only six blows; but he got a pleasing eyefull in the performances of Early Wynn and Roger Wolff on the mound for the Nats.

Wynn, Wolff Shine

Wynn and Wolff limited the Orioles to two hits and it could have been a no-hit for the pair. The Orioles' only two blows were a pair of wind-blown pop flies that cleared the heads of Shortstop Johnny Sullivan and Third Baseman Luis Suarez on consecutive plays in the third inning after two were out.

Wynn was discombooberating the Orioles with a remarkable early-season fast ball, and after he pitched the first five innings, Wolff walked to the mound and added further confusion for the Orioles with his knuckle ball. He faced only 13 men in the last four ninings, striking out three, and the only man he permitted to reach base arrived there on a fumble by Sullivan.

Beardon Checks Nats

The Nats couldn't stir up any sign of a run for five innings against Harry Beardon, a lengthy right-hander, and they did not exactly murder Rube Kleckley, an even taller right-hander who is 17 years old. All of the Washington blows were singles.

Orting put the winning run in motion in the sixth after two were out with a sharpt single past shortstop, and he galloped to third when Kuhel slashed a single to right. Ortiz continued home when Coach Clyde Milan yelled to him, in perfect English, that Riley had fumbled Kuhel's hit.

Pvt. (no class) Al Costello, formerly of The Washington Post sports staff, manned the loud speaker as the game's announcer, and nothing was ever as nonessential as the loud speaker. . . . Nick Altrock put the 6000 soldier adience in a gay mood with his pregame clowning and toss $40 forth of the club's baseballs into the stands. . . . The Nats and Orioles practically ran the steam roller off the field, which was put in playing condition by the last-minute work of a labor battalion. . . . Big Roberto Ortiz pulled the first boner of the Nats' exhibition season, thereby registering no upset. . . . The big Cuban was on first base when Kuhel hit a high fly to right field, whereupon Ortiz for no reason at all, galloped to third base and was doubled up at first after the catch. . . . Early Wynn batted lefthanded in his first trip to the plate and singled to right. . . . He batted lefthanded his next time up and flied out.

Army Accepts Henry Armstrong

Los Angeles, April 6 (AP).—Henry Armstrong, who has held three world's championships during his boxing career, has passed his physical examination and is due to enter the Army in 21 days.

His manager, George Moore, said yesterday that Armstrong's impending induction forestalls several Eastern matches, including one with Willie Joyce or Izzy Janazzo in Chicago on April 28.

Serves With Special Service

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Here's Bitsy Grant (left) who used to have an excellent serve when he held the national clay court tennis crown, pictured as he broadcasts as a sports commentator to troops in New Guinea. Pfc Glenn Christopher of Fort Worth, Tex., is the engineer at the controls. Grant, from Atlanta, Ga. is now with the Fifth Air Force Special Service Branch.

Wanted: Power Hitters

Bob Coleman Seeks Stimulant For Braves' Anemic Punch

Wallingford, Conn., April 6 (AP).—If Bob Coleman can find the right stuff to spike the Boston Braves' anemic punch he figures to improve the clubs 1943 position in his first year as a big league manager.

Adding that wallop depends on the sophomore outfielders—Butch Nieman and Charley Workman—and a flock of new infield candidates.

Coleman knows that he can expect passable pitching from his big four of Al Javery, Jim Tobin, Nate Andrews and Charles (Red) Barrett who accounted for 57 wins on last year's sixth place outfit.

Reinforcements are promising but few in number. Carl Lindquist and Ben Cardoni from the Braves' Hartford farm may be ready to take their turns. Lindquist, who was discovered by an Elmira, N. Y., taxicab driver, won 15 and compiled a 2.61 earned run average in the Eastern League. Cardoni won 10.

Club Has One Southpaw

Hal Shacker, picked up in Brooklyn last summer when he asked for a trial and later sent to Hartford, is a right-handed prospect and Bill Marshall of Lowell, Mass., High School, is the only left-hander on the squad. Johnny Dagenhard of Hartford and Ira Hutchinson of Rochester are staying on their defense jobs.

Tommy Holmes gives class to the outfield, but the Brooklyn lad has ben accepted by the Navy and is awaiting call. Coleman has faith in hist wo sophomore flychasers and has installed Nieman in center and Workman in right. He is tryig to get Nieman to get out in front of the ball a little more on the theory that he can be one of the league's best powermen if he can pull the ball over toward the foul line away from right center. Bespectacled Chet Clemens, out of baseball lest year but a Braves' farm product, is another possibility

At the momen Kerby Farrell is the first sacker, but Buck Etchison, a .294 hitter at Hartford, may get the call if he can live up to his average. Ben Geraghty, a Brooklyn flash fresh from Villanova in 1936, is the second baseman and Billy Wietelman is a fixture at short despite his weak hitting. Connie Ryan, a disappointment as a hitter last season, is getting another trial at third. Steve Shemo who played with Springfield, Mass., in the Eastern, Damon Phillips who fielded brilliantly but failed ot hit at Syracuse and Mike Sandlock an all-around handy man are the other infield candidates.

Phil Masi and Clyde Kluttz will divide the catching much the same as last year. Big Stew Hofferth, standout receiver with Indianapolis in the American Association last year and bought by Boston, is not expected to report pending a service call.

Navy Releases Tennis, Track, Crew Schedules

Annapolis, April 6 (AP).—Schedules for Navy's tennis, track and crew squads were released today by the Academy Athletic Association, completing the official releases of the spring sports calendar.

On Saturday, Navy will play Ursinus in baseball while the Junior Varsity lacrosse squad entertains St. Paul's School of Baltimore and the Plebe diamond team plays Baltimore City College.

The sailing squad will get its first formal workout in a meet with Stevens Institute of Technology.

The complete tennis schedule, as released today, is:

April 15, Penn State; 19, Loyola; 22, North Carolina; 26, Brooklyn College; 29, Princeton.

May 1, Johns Hopkins; 3, Lehigh; 6, Columbia (at New York); 8, Pittsburgh; 10, Bainbridge; 13, Swarthmore; 17, Pennsylvania; 20, Duke, and 27, Army (at West Point).

The track card includes:

April 15, Loyola and Villanova; 22, Penn State.

May 6, North Carolina Preflight and Duke (at Durham, N. C.); 13, North Carolina Preflight and North Carolina; 20, I. C. 4-A (at Philadelphia); 27, Army.

Crew races will be:

May 6, Columbia and Cornell (at New York); 13, Columbia; Cornell and M. I. T.; 20, Columbia and Cornell (at Ithaca).

Plebe track and tennis schedules were also announced.

Suffolk Downs Receives License

Boston, April 6 (AP).—The State Racing Commission announced today a license had been issued to the Eastern Racing Association to conduct horse racing at Suffolk Downs from May 15 to July 22.

Gordon B. Hanlon, president of the Eastern Racing Association, Inc., said later the track would have a minimum purse of $1200 this year, a 20 per cent increase over last year's minimum.

Hanlon said also that Suffolk Downs already had announced an increase from $30,000 to $45,000 for its three 2-year-old stake races and had reinstated the $25,000 added Yankee Handicap for 3-year-olds.

Pittsburgh Books 9 Football Games

Pittsburgh, April 6 (AP).—A nine-game schedule, with Indiana University and Army as newcomers, will be played by Pitt next fall.

Holdovers from last year's grid card include West Virginia University, Notre Dame, Penn State, Bethany (W. Va.), Illinois, Carnegie Tech and Ohio State.

The only 1943 rival dropped is Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

The schedule Sept. 23, West Virginia; 30, Notre Dame; Oct. 7, Bethany; 14, at Army; 21, Illinois; 28, Carnegie Tech; Nov. 11, at Ohio State; 18, at Indiana U.; 25, Penn State.

Fighter Gets His Man, But, MP's Get Him

Oakland, Calif., April 6 (AP).—Al Jordan, 188, Chicago, scored a 10-round decision over Harold Blackshear, 212, U. S. Army, formerly of Monterey, Calif., last night. Both are Negroes.

Blackshear was arrested in the ring after the fight by military police accused of being AWOL for 23 days.

Bob Permane On Winners Of 5 Races

Tropical Park, April 6 (AP).—Apprentice Jockey Permane, leading rider at the meeting here, stole the show today, riding five winners, including a pair of longshots. Young Permane missed making it six for the afternoon when his mount was beaten a half-length.

Permane began his day's work in the second. He was aboard the H. & W. Stable's Silver Donna and rode the $4.40 favorite home 3½ lengths in advance of Revive. Tib was third, a length out of place money.

The lightweight boy who began his riding career seven months ago made it two straight when he took the third event with J. Trisolini's Chalara, a $31.90 shot. This filly took command early and came home two lengths in front of the closest opposition.

After failing in the fourth, Permane climbed in the saddle of C. Rufi's One Tip, an odds-on favorite. The 6-year-old raced Queen Echo into submission and went on to win by two and a half lengths to return a $3.60 mutuel to his legion of backers.

The Permane influence was again felt in the sixth race and the boy had only a scattered backing on M. Shagrin's Red Dock, one who has been unable to win in 10 starts. After getting the Peace Chance gelding away slowly, Permane brought him along with a rush to win going away by three-quarters in the test, the day's best offering dubbed The Wakefield Purse. Red Dock paid $18.30 and led Sir War and Soverton to the wire.

Fred Havecker, Permane's mount in the seventh, was caught and passed by Cee Raff, a $14.50 shot, in the seventh but the boy came back to win the eighth event. He was on another odds-on choice in Fettacairn. He took this veteran to the top early and coasted home five lengths in front of the closest opposition. Fettacairn paid $3.90.

Permane rode three winners yesterday and has 40 for the meeting.

Michigan Books Iowa Preflight

An Arbor, Mich., April 6 (AP).—H. O. (Fritz) Crisler, athletic director and head football coach, announced today that Michigan's football team would meet Iowa Preflight in its opening game here September 16. The Iowa Seahawks played here in 1942 and defeated the Wolverines, 26 to 14.

The addition of the Iowa Service team increased Michigan's schedule to nine games. The following weekend, September 23, is the only open date yet to be filled. Cornell, Syracuse and Michigan State, if the latter elects to resume football, have been mentioned as opponents for this date.

Md. Racing Unit Selects Steward

Baltimore, April 6 (AP).—The Maryland Racing Commission has named George Brown, jr., its steward for the 28-day spring racing meeting which opens at Pimlico April 12.

The commission also approved the selection by the Maryland Jockey Club of William L. Harron for the post of steward representing the track. Brown and Harron will select the third steward.

Other officials for the meeting also were passed upon by the commission, including various judges, clerks and the like.

Jockey Pleads Guilty to Assault

Los Angeles, April 6 (AP).—Rufus Loveless, 25, former jockey, was fined $250 today and placed on probation for three years on his plea of guilty to a charge of assault in connection with the shooting and wounding of Alva Allman, Glendale cafe employe, last December 16.

Police testified Loveless told them that Allman had broken up his home. Loveless' wife, Betty, accompanied him to court today.

Air Service Grid Heads To Decide Travel Limit

The War Department said yesterday it has authorized the various Air Forces Training Commands to fix their own limitations on travel of football teams.

Previously teams were limited to not more than 25 miles of travel for games unless special permission was obtained from Washington. Under the new set-up, the Commands will decide on travel limitations.

Baseball Front:

White Sox Drop Cubs, 4-1, in Series Opener

French Lick, Ind., April 6 (AP).—The Chicago White defeated the Chicago Cubs, 4 to 1, in the opening games of the annual "Spring City Series" here today.

Thornton Lee, Bill Dietrich and Orval Grove pitched for Jimmy Dykes' club and held the Cubs to four hits. The Sox rapped the offerings of three Bruin flingers for 11 hits and counted their runs by ones in the fourth, fifth, sixth and eighth frames.

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Lee, Dietrich (4), Grove (7) and Turner; Hanyzewski, Wyse (4), Burrows (7) and Holm.

Vince DiMaggio Signs

Pittsburgh, April 6 (AP).—Vince DiMaggio, Pittsburgh Pirate outfielder and the club's only holdout, signed a 1944 contract at Muncie, Ind., where the team is in spring training, President William E. Benswanger said today.

Benswanger, at Muncie, told club officials here by telephone the San Francisco Fly-hawk "signed at the club's terms."

Walker May Play Third

Bear Mountain, N. Y., April 6 (AP).—Dixie Walker, Brooklyn outfielder of recent years who broke into organized ball as an infieder, will play third base for the Dodgers against the Boston Red Sox at Ebbets Field Saturday, Manager Leo Durocher said today.

Durocher will start Saturday's game at second base with Howie Shultz at first and Rookie Gene Mauch at short. Hal Gregg, Curt Davis and Bob Chipman are slated for mound duty.

Tomorrow's game with the Red Sox, also booked for Ebbets Field, has been canceled. The Dodgers will stay here, instead, for another drill in the United States Military Academy fieldhouse.

Reds Sign Hurler

Bloomington, Ind., April 6 (AP).—Pitcher Richard Craft of South Bend, Ind., and Outfielder Mike Kosman, former Indiana University player and honorably discharged Marine, signed contracts with the Reds today and will go to Cincinnati with the team.

Physical Awaits York

Detroit, April 6 (AP).—Rudy York, the Detroit Tigers' hard-hitting firstbaseman, will take his preinduction physical examination here April 17, the day before the Tigers open the season against the St. Louis Browns.

York had intended to take his examination at Evansville, Ind., Tiger string camp, but the next scheduled exams there do not take place until after the Tigers break camp.

Schoolboy Baseball Action Again Delayed

For the second straight day, schoolboy baseball games were postponed due to weather conditions yesterday when the Coolidge-Bethesda-Chevy Chase and Wilson-St. Alban's contest were halted. However, Coolidge hopes to meet the Bethesda nine at 3 p. m. tomorrow on the latter's field.

It looks as is Wilson, which looms a potent threat in the coming interhigh series, will not get to play any pre-season games before the Tigers meet the Anacostia Indians in the official interhigh season opener next Tuesday.

Exhibition Games

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Cincinnati (N)	000 010 03x	4	6 1
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(Called end of sixth.) Carpenter, Shupe (4) and Rubsanen; Lindquist, Russell (4) and Masi, Kluttz (5).			

Ailing Ankle To Keep Dodds Out of Relays

Boston, April 6 (AP).—An ailing ankle will prevent Gil Dodds, Boston divinity student who halds the new world indoor mile track record, from competing in a special mile event at the Penn annual relay carnival April 29.

Dodds told friends of his inability to compete as he left last night for a speaking engagement in Erie, Pa.

He sprained his left ankle in Cleveland on March 24 and while the swelling has subsided, the injury still bothers him.

"I couldn't possibly get into condition for a mile at the Penn relays, much as I'd like to," friends quoted him as saying.

Maroons Enter Penn Reays

Philadelphia, April 6 (AP).—University of Chicago has entered the Penn Relays for the first time in more than 20 years.

Ned A. Merriam, Maroon coach, nominated five men from whom a 1-mile relay team will be selected to run in the 50-year-old event, scheduled April 28 and 29 at Franklin Field.

Ed Perl, Johnson Clark, Buell Morley, Franklin Whittaker and James Tyvand are the nominees.

A quarter of Chicago quartermilers won the mile championship at the relays in 1898.

George Raft Comanager Of Graziano

Rocky Graziano, New York welter who meets Bobby Brown in the Turner Arena feature spot Monday night, is about to have as his co-manager none less than Movie Star George Raft, according to word reaching here from Gotham.

A rabid fistic follower, Faft recently bought into Graziano's contract with Jack Healy, the youngster's manager, will finance the lad's climb as a welter contender, New York friends report.

Raft, who had 18 bouts as a youngster years back, is taking the same interest in Graziano, it appears, as he did in Henry Armstrong. The famous Hollywood fan took a liking to Hammerin' Hank's prospects and took over half of his contract when the late Eddie Mead piloted Henry toward stardom.

Graziano, now due to have two May dates in Madison Square Garden unless Brown upsets his progress here, packs an exceptional Wallop. He has 14 knockouts for 25 fights. Still, Promoter Joe Turner and his matchmaker, Gabe Menendez, are confident Brown is ready to out-hustle and whip any young welter on the horizon, and are giving the D. C. kid his big chance. Trainer Billy Banks has Brown at the best form to date, and Bobby's great progress to five victories in as many weeks convinces Banks that he's ready for top-fighters.

A second welter bout has been made for the card—George Williams vs. Al Franklin—and the semiwindup has Ctoney Lewis against Zack Robinson, McKeesport, Pa., star.

Catholic U. Nine Planning 8-Game Slate

Catholic University's baseball team will play an eight-game schedule this spring, Athletic Director Eddie LaFond announced yesterday. LaFond said games are planned with Maryland, Fort Belvoir, Fort Meade and the Quantico Marines on a home-and-home basis. James (Shorty) Hughes will coach the Cardinals and will build his team around four veterans from last year's nine. Returning to the Cardinal fold are First Baseman "Dee" DiSpasio, Outfielder "Tubby" Axelrod, Catcher Johnny Mercak and Pitcher Fred Rice, jr. Practice will start Monday and the opening game is booked for April 19 with either Fort Belvoir or Quantico Marines on the Catholic diamond.

Soccer Boom Predicted

Bill Jeffrey, Penn State soccer coach, insists his sport will be more popular than ever after the war.

Plane for Tankmen

Mexico City, April 6 (AP).—President Avila Camacho today offered the Cuban swimming team the use of a Mexican army plane to come here for an international swimming meet opening June 10. He suggested that the Cuban team leave Cuba May 25.

Nat Box Score

Baltimore	AB	H	O	A	WASH.	AB	H	O	A
Monaco,2b	3	1	3	3	Case,lf	4	1	3	0
Riley,rf	4	1	1	1	Myatt,2b	4	0	2	5
R'lamin,3b	3	0	2	1	Spence,cf	4	0	2	0
Skaff,3b	1	0	0	0	Ortiz,rf	1	1	2	0
Moss,lf	4	0	1	0	Kuhel,1b	3	1	8	1
L'shaw,1b	3	0	10	1	Suarez,3b	3	1	1	3
M'wicz,cf	3	0	1	0	Sullivan,ss	3	1	0	2
Pfeifer,ss	3	0	2	2	Ferrell,c	2	0	3	0
Lake,c	3	0	2	0	Guerra,c	0	0	4	0
Beardon,p	2	0	2	0	Wynn,p	2	1	0	1
Kleckley,p	1	0	0	1	Wolff,p	1	0	0	0
Totals	30	2	24	9	Totals	27	6	27	9

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
WASHINGTON	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	x	—1

Run—Ortiz. Errors—Luke, Riley, Sullivan. Double plays—Riley to Latshaw; Kleckley to Latshaw; Monaco to Pfeifer to Latshaw. Stolen base—Ortiz. Hits—Off Wynn, 2 in 5 innings; off Wolff, 0 in 4 innings; off Beardeon, 3 in 5 innings; off Kleckley, 3 in 3 innings. First base on balls—Off Wynn, 1; off Beardeon, 1; off Kleckley, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Beardon (Ortiz). Struck out—By Wynn, 3; by Wolff, 4. Left on bases—Washington, 6; Baltimore, 4. Umpires—Telford and Weafer.

Tropical Entries and Results

Entries

By the Associated Press

1—4½; $1200; maiden 2-yr.-olds; clmng.
†Josephine ....113 | *Shasta Ko 108
†Dark Morning ..117 | Roadmaker 118
Plucky Grip ....117 | Katlen 113
Golden Count ..120 | *Lucy S. 103
*Tin Loon 106
†Mrs. F. Magann and River Edge entry.

2—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
*Golden Fleece ..106 | *Michael Orin ..106
Canter's Best ...111 | Spread Eagle 111
*Destiny Deb ....101 | *Benique 101
*Talk Over ....104 | *King's Glory ...104
*Irresistible 106

3—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
*Captain Ruth ..107 | *Knight's Quest II 117
*Manipulate ....106 | *Dream Fox 114
*Majorette ....112 | *Susan Constant 101
4—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
*Polymelior ....108 | Maejames 111
*Lady Flares ...101 | *Key Largo 104
Bright Arc ....113 | *Subdeb 103

5—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds; claiming.
Oaking A. ....101 | *Refrain 101
*Grace Tamm ....104 | Gornil 104
Miss Freedom ...109 | *†Esdeco 104
*Valdina Charm 101 | Last Kan 111
*†Santa Marie ..104
†J. Urrutia and C. O. Ferguson entry.

6—¾; $1600; 3-year-olds; allowances.
Ray G. ....116 | Aras Girl 107
†Morani ....116 | Lord Hairan 116
*†Swift Marine..115 | *†Close Up 115
Leo McLaughlin 120 | ‡Liseusette 107
‡Miss U.S.O. ....115 | *The Captain 111
Change Here 116
†King Ranch and J. Ellenger entry.
‡Mrs. R. C. Hodge and Anita King entry.
‡Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stanley entry.

7—1⅛; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
*Dan's Choice ..110 | *Moonlite Bobby 109
*Thalel ....106 | *Neddie Lass 104
Precision ....112 | Boris N. 114
*Yank Bomber ..106 | *Pamphlet 104
Peep Show ....111 | *Belay 112

8—1⅛; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
*Sky Soldier ...109 | *Rest Awhile ...112
Southbound ....109 | Calvert 111
*Knock Knock... 99 | *Kiev Lee 107
*Xam ....109 | *Glennport 106
*Gala Light 109
*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Results

1—¾; $1200; 3-yr.-old maidens; cl'ing.
Payable, 113 (Layton)..... 3.90 4.20 2.80
Valdina Greedy, 108 (Kerr)..... 7.80 4.10
Back to Back, 113 (Basile)..... 3.10
Halsey Mio Grand, Dick Richards, Oyster Babe, Betanjan, Glenwood Boy, Tsuga Bee also ran. Time, 1:13⅕.

2—¾; $1200; 3-yr.-old maidens; cl'ing.
Silver Donna, 108 (Permane) 4.40 3.40 2.70
Revive, 118 (McCoy)..... 6.50 3.80
Tib, 113 (Carroll)..... 3.00
Kitty Rose, Roy Condon, Our Flare, Colonel Gus, Lend Lease, Sun Mite also ran. Time, 1:13⅕.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $17.

3—¾; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
Chalara, 103 (Permane).. 31.90 12.10 6.80
Play Greenock, 108 (Kerr).... 10.60 5.60
Canter's Best, 113 (Basile)..... 3.20
Zacharias, High One, Ruckelle, Royal Count, Feckless, Migration, Epidown also ran. Time, 1:12⅕.

4—4½ fur.; $1200; 3-year-olds.
Slight Edge, 113 (Arcaro).. 4.10 2.90 2.30
Not Tomorrow, 110 (Patterson).. 3.90 2.60
Lively Man, 118 (Layton)..... 2.80
Century, Sally Maedic, Ship Jr. also ran. Time, 0:54.

5—1⅛; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
One Tip, 112 (Permane)..... 3.60 3.20 2.80
Budded, 109 (Jenkins)..... 9.60 4.40
Queen Echo, 110 (Gerlock)..... 2.80
War Communique, Displayer, Wood Robin also ran. Time, 1:58⅘.

6—1⅛; $1800; 4-yr.-olds up; Wakefield.
Red Dock, 111 (Permane).. 18.30 6.70 3.80
Sir War, 117 (Critchfield)..... 4.20 2.90
Soverton, 111 (Layton)..... 3.50
Stinging Bee, Bygones, Lucia's Sun also ran. Time, 1:43⅘.

7—1⅛; $1200; 3-yr.-olds; claiming.
Cee Raf, 114 (Thompson) 14.50 7.20 3.60
Fred Havecker, 112 (Permane).. 4.50 2.80
Night Bomber, 106 (Gerlock)..... 2.60
Patsy T., Petie Flame, On the Double, Rose Canyon also ran. Time, 1:46⅘.

8—1⅛; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
Fettacairn, 112 (Permane).. 3.90 3.20 2.50
Farsight, 114 (Basile)..... 7.40 3.80
Direction, 114 (Eads)..... 3.20
Snowfly, War Bonnet, Contemplation, Strength also ran. Time, 1:45⅕.

TROPICAL SELECTIONS (Fast)

1—Katlen, Roadmaker, Golden Count.
2—Michael Orin, King's Glory, Canter's Best.
3—Knight's Quest, Dream Fox, Manipulate.
4—Key Largo, Maejames, Bright Arc.
5—Oaking, Miss Freedom, Grace Tamm.
6—Leo McLaughlin, Close Up, Ray G.
7—PRECISION, Dan's Choice, Belay.
8—Southbound, Xam, Sky Soldier.
—Louisville Times (AP).

Post's Consensus

AT TROPICAL PARK

1—Roadmaker, Dark Morning, Golden Count.
2—Spread Eagle, Michael Orin, Talk Over.
3—Manipulate, Captain Ruth, Knight's Quest II.
4—KEY LARGO, Subdeb, Bright Arc.
5—Valdina Charm, Esdeco, Oaking.
6—Ray G., Leo McLaughlin, Morani.
7—Peep Show, Neddie Lass, Boris N.
8—Rest Awhile, Sky Soldier, Knock Knock.

Lou Nova Signs To Fight Hartnek

Omaha, April 6 (AP).—Lou Nova and Paul Hartnek, heavyweights, will meet in a 10-round bout in Omaha April 17, Promoter Max Clayton announced today. Nova, who fought Joe Louis in 1941, is headquartering in Des Moines. Hartnek, a former Omaha Golden Gloves champion, is working in shipyards at Oakland, Calif., and has appeared on fight cards recently on the Pacific Coast.

Falls Church Eagles Win

Falls Church Eagles defeated Hillwood Square, 25 to 6, in a Community League baseball game at Falls Church yesterday. David Young, pitching the first four innings for the Eagles, struckout 12 and allowed one hit. The Eagles play the Burke Club in a league game tomorrow at Falls Church.

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Radio Programs

Friday, April 7 — Washington — Eastern War Time

	WMAL 478M 630KC	WRC 315M 980KC	WOL 229M 1260KC	WTOP 206M 1500KC
	News, 6, 7, 8:30, Prelude, 6:05-7, Town Clock, 7:10-7:45 and 8-9, Claude Mahoney, 7:45.	News, 6, 7, 7:55, 8:30, Bill Herson, 8:05-8, World Roundup, 8.	Dawn Patrol to 6:30; News, 6:30, 7:30, 8, 8:30; Art Brown, 6:35-9:30.	Corn Squeezing Time, 5:45-6:45, News, 6:45, 7:30, 8, Godfrey, 7-9:15.
9:00	Breakfast Club	Mirth and Madness	Art Brown at the Organ	Godfrey News
9:15	Breakfast Club			Home Service D'ly
9:30	Breakfast Club	News, Banghart	Listen, Ladies!	CBS Air Theater
9:45	Breakfast Club	B'dway Melodies	Listen, Ladies!	" "
10:00	Sweet River	Lora Lawton	Front Line Feature	Valiant Lady
10:15	Pin Money	Robert St. John	Mr. Moneybags	Kitty Foyle
10:30	Pin Money	Helpmate	Linda's First Love	Open Door
10:45	Listening Post	War & Christianity	Mary Foster	Bachelors Child's
11:00	Breakfast at Sardi's	Road of Life	4th Presbyterian Church	Honeymoon Hill
11:15		Vic and Sade		Second Husband
11:30	Ruth Crane	Brave Tomorrow	Scratches, Music	Bright Horizon
11:45	Baby Institute	David Harum	What's Your Idea	Aunt Jenny
12:00	News, Evans	News; Novelette	Boake Carter	Kate Smith Speaks
12:15	Little Show	Devotions	Music Mixers	Big Sister
12:30	Farm & Home	Matinee Today	Halls of Montezuma	Helen Trent
12:45	Vic, Gardens	Matinee Today		Our Gal Sunday
1:00	Brukhage	Home Forum	News, Ray Daly	Life Beautiful
1:15	Pin Money	Home Forum	Jack Berch	Ma Perkins
1:30	Pin Money	Tropical Echoes	Lunch With Lopez	Bernadine Flynn
1:45	Bud Ward	Morgan Beatty	Russ Hodges	The Goldbergs
2:00	Kiernan	Guiding Light	Russ Hodges	Portia Faces Life
2:15	Bud Ward	Today's Children	Russ Hodges	Joyce Jordan
2:30	Bud Ward	Light of World	Compton; Russ	Young Dr. Malone
2:45	Uncle Sam	Hymns, All Ch'hes	Hodges	Perry Mason
3:00	Mort. Downey	American Woman	Russ Hodges	Mary Marlin
3:15	Entertain-	Ma Perkins	Russ Hodges	Janice Grey
3:30	ment Unit	Pepper Young	Russ Hodges	Now and Forever
3:45	Jack Little	Right to Happiness	Russ Hodges	News for Women
4:00	News, Evans	Backstage Wife	Walter Compton	Broadway Matinee; News
4:15	Music	Stella Dallas	Russ Hodges	Texas Rangers
4:30	Military Band	Lorenzo Jones	Russ Hodges	Texas Rangers
4:45	Music	Widow Brown	Russ Hodges	
5:00	Terry, Pirates	A Girl Marries	Art Brown	Fun With Dunn
5:15	Dick Tracy	We Love & Learn	Art Brown	Godfrey Show
5:30	J. Armstrong	Just Plain Bill	News, W.Compton	News; Stump Us
5:45	Capt. Midnight	Front Page Farrel	Superman	American Women
6:00	News of Front	News; Beatty	Sports Resume	Folliard, Costello
6:15	News—Sports	Musicade	Walter Compton	Lyn Murray Show
6:30	Wills-Adams	Dutch Bergman	World's F't Page	"6:30 Show"
6:45	Request Guest	Lowell Thomas	Music	News, Harsch
7:00	Nero Wolfe	Fred Waring	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	I Love a Mystery
7:15		World News	Johnson Family	"We Who Dream"
7:30	The Lone Ranger	Stringtime Herson in Person	Magic Dollars	Friday on Broadway
7:45			Magic Dollars	
8:00	News	Cities Service Concert	Sizing Up News	Kate Smith
8:15	Parker Family		Fulton Oursler	Kate Smith
8:30	Meet Your Navy	Your All-Time Hit Parade	Freedom of Opportunity	Kate Smith; K. Smith, B. Henry
8:45				
9:00	Gang Busters	Waltz Time	Gabriel Heatter	It Pays to Be Ignorant
9:15		Waltz Time	Believe It or Not	
9:30	Spotlight Bands	People Are Funny	Double or Nothing	That Brewster Boy
9:45				
10:00	J. Vandercook	Amos 'n' Andy	Cedric Foster	Moore and Durante
10:15	Top of Ev'ning		Jean Hudson Orch.	
10:30	Rabbi	Sports Newsreel	World's Most Honored Music	Stage Door Canteen
10:45	Gerstenfeld	Good Friday		
11:00	News, Evans	News; Music	News by Repaid	News, Howe
11:15	Hour	Harkness of D.C.	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	Arch McDonald's "Moon Dial"
11:30	of	Mr. Smith Goes	Guy Lombardo	
11:45	Dreams	to Town	Unity Viewpoint	Mrs. Miniver

RADIO NOTES FOR TODAY

Elgar's "Enigma Variations" is played on records by the Halle Orchestra, Sir Hamilton Harty conducting. WINX—11:05 a. m.

John Hersey, author of "A Bell for Adano," tells some of his experiences as a war correspondent on Imogene Wolcott's program. WOL—11:45 a. m.

Nero Wolfe tackles "The Case of the Tattoed Terror." WMAL—7 p. m.

Cities Service Concert—Lucille Manners, Ross Graham and the orchestra, under Frank Black, offer Bach-Gounod's "Ave Maria," the scherzo from MacDowell's "Sonata Tragica," "To My Mother" and Sir Arthur Sullivan's "The Lost Chord." WRC—8 p. m.

Bela Lugosi is Kate Smith's guest. WTOP—8 p. m.

Father Kavanagh's Radio Guild presents a dramatization of the Passion according to St. John. WINX—8:05 p. m.

Waltz Time—Frank Munn and Evelyn MacGregor offer "By the River of the Roses," "Goodnight, Wherever You Are," "I Wish I Could Hide Inside This Letter," etc. WRC—9 p. m.

Rachmaninoff's Piano Concerto No. 2 is played on records by the Philadelphia Orchestra, Leopold Stokowski conducting, with the composer as soloist. WINX—9:05 p. m.

Ames 'n' Andy deliver their Good Friday message. WRC—10 p. m.

Jane Withers, Ethel Merman and Comic Charles Butterworth head the guest list for "Stage Door Canteen." WTOP—10:30 p. m.

Lee (Lippy) Durocher, manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, is Bill Stern's guest. WRC—10:30 p. m.

WINX and WWDC broadcast news every hour on the hour and every available half hour.

Station WINX, Friday, April 7, 1944—E. W. T.—250 W.—1340 KC.

MORNING
6:00 Jerry Strong.
7:30 News
7:45 Jerry Strong
8:35 Strong & Johnson.
9:05 Music
9:15 Dude Ranch
9:30 Traffic Court
10:05 Music Hall.
11:05 Symphony Hour.
AFTERNOON
12:05 Luncheon Music.
1:00 News
1:15 Sports, Popular Music
5:05 Music Hall.
EVENING
6:00 Sports Today
6:15 Johannes Steel
6:30 Dinner Music
7:05 Places to Go
7:30 News
7:45 USO Bulletin
8:05 Passion Play
8:30 Crime Clues
8:45 Time to Dance
9:05 Symphony Hour
10:00 Southern Baptist.
10:30 Traffic Court.
11:05 Easter Music
11:35 Slumber Music.
12:00 Midnight Newsreel.

Station WWDC, Friday, April 7, 1944—E. W. T.—250 W.—1450 KC.

MORNING
6:00 Serenade.
6:30 News, Bob Ball
6:45 Dale Crowley.
7:00 Mike Hunnicutt.
10:00 Bing Crosby.
10:30 Alice Lane
11:30 Jim Jam Session
AFTERNOON
12:00 Password Please.
12:30 Mike Hunnicutt
1:05 Blessed Eventers
1:20 Melody Moments
1:35 1450 Club
5:00 Band of the Day.
5:15 Sinatra vs. Crosby
5:30 Victory Vaudeville.
EVENING
6:00 Melody Lane
6:30 Leon Pearson
6:45 Boothby-Mansell
7:05 Music from the Trees
7:20 Eddie Duchin Orch.
7:30 Xavier Cugat Orch.
7:45 Talking Pictures
8:00 Romantic Rendesvous.
8:20 Harry James Orch.
9:05 Vaughn Monroe Orch.
9:15 Richard Eaton
9:35 Allen Roth Orch.
10:00 Hits of the Day.
10:30 St. Luke Church
10:45 Rhapsody in Rhythm.
11:00 The Streamliners
11:30 Continental Hits.
12:00 Nite Club of Air

DONALD DUCK — By Walt Disney

SCHOOL'S OUT, AREN'T YOU BOYS COMING HOME?
DISTRICT SCHOOL 10
NOPE, WE SORTA HAVE T' STAY AFTER SCHOOL!
I WON'T WASTE SYMPATHY ON THEM! THAT'S WHAT THEY GET FOR BEING STUPID!
NOW IF THEY WERE SMART, LIKE ME, THEY COULD BE HOME RESTING!
NOW THE LAWN NEXT!
WALT DISNEY

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TERRY AND THE PIRATES — Hung for Nothing? — By Milton Caniff

YEE-OW! JUST AS I GET TO BURMA'S WINDOW, MADAME SINGH BLOWS INTO THE ROOM! AND MY FINGERS ARE ALREADY NUMB!...
DID YOU ENJOY DANCING FOR THE RULER AND HIS YANKEE PILOT GUEST?
WHAT'S THE ANGLE, RED? YOU DIDN'T BLOW IN HERE AND WAKE ME UP TO READ ME THE REVIEWS!
MR. SINGH TELLS ME YOU RECOGNIZED THE YANKEE... AN OLD FRIEND OF YOURS, HMMM?...
WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO TRAP ME INTO SAYING?...
...I NEVER SAW HIM BEFORE IN MY LIFE!

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

BYE BYE, BUDDY! I'LL BE AT THE STATION TONIGHT!
SWELL, MARCIA! MY BROTHER RICK'S GOING ON THE SAME TRAIN!.. I WANT HIM TO MEET YOU!
OH MY GOSH! GYPSY'S HOME! I HOPED SHE'D STAY IN CHICAGO TILL I GOT GONE!
THE ONLY FAIR THING TO DO IS TO GO IN AND TELL HER ABOUT MARCIA! IT'LL PROBABLY BREAK HER ALL UP... BUT SHE'LL GET OVER IT... IN TIME...
WELL, HOW DO YOU LIKE THAT!

MICKEY FINN — Direct Hit — By Lank Leonard

MR. AND MRS. — What a Man! — By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

JOE, I THINK THERE'S SOMETHING THE MATTER WITH OUR LOCK
WHAT MAKES YOU SAY THAT?
WHY, I HAD AN AWFUL TIME MAKING MY KEY WORK THIS AFTERNOON. I THOUGHT I'D BE LOCKED OUT
THAT'S NICE
SEE? YOUR KEY DOESN'T WORK EITHER. NOW WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO?
WILL YOU WAIT AND GIVE ME A CHANCE?
WE CAN NEVER GET A LOCKSMITH AT THIS TIME OF NIGHT. OH, OH!
THERE YOU ARE. SO OPEN. I'D HAD IT OPEN BEFORE IF YOU HADN'T GOT ME ALL FUSSED

DIXIE DUGAN — A Youngster — By J. P. McEvoy and H. J. Striebel

RIGHT AROUND HOME — By Dudley Fisher

GEE, POP, IF YOU DON'T LIKE TO SHAVE, WHY DON'T YOU LET 'EM GROW?
NOW WHO THINKS HE LOOKS PRETTY GOING AROUND WITH HAIR ALL OVER HIS FACE?
WELL, I CAN NAME HIM ONE!

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JOE PALOOKA — Moonlight — By Ham Fisher

I'D RATHER NOT, MISS HALLUS.
LE'S US GET SOME AIR—IT'S GORGEOUS OUTSIDE.
I'VE BEEN SO BORED—THERE ISN'T AN ATTRACTIVE MAN LEFT IN TOWN.
—AND THEN YOU CAME ALONG—I JUST COULDN'T BELIEVE IT—
RILLY MISS HALLUS.
OH DON'T BE SO SERIOUS—YOU'RE SO CUTE—SNOOKSY.

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — Gunman — By Frank Martinek

I'M GOING TO APPOINT HIM AS CUSTODIAN OF OUR PRISONERS!
WHAT? WHY THEY'LL MURDER HIM!
TWO MEN ARE IN THAT CABIN..WE WANT YOU TO WATCH THEM!
DOGGONE IT! I HAIN'T RODE HERD F'R A LONG TIME... LEAD ME TO THEM MAV'RIKS'!
HERE, YOU MAY NEED THIS!
I FIGGER IT'LL COME IN PERT SMART!
GET IN THERE! IF THEY GET ROUGH SHOOT AND ASK QUESTIONS LATER!

SUPERMAN — Hear Superman 5:45 P.M. Today—WOL — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

I WARN YOU, MR. MXYZPTLK—DON'T ATTEMPT TO WRECK THAT TRAIN!
AND WHY NOT, SUPER?
SIMPLY BECAUSE A FANTASTICALLY GORGEOUS WOMAN IS ABOARD?—A WOMAN WITH WHOM YOU HAPPEN TO BE DESPERATELY IN LOVE?!?
THAT'S RIDICULOUS!
BUT IS IT?!? IN MY IDENTITY AS CLARK KENT, I WAS STAGGERED BY HER FATAL BEAUTY. THE QUESTION IS—HOW WILL I REACT AS SUPERMAN?!?
AND ABOARD THE TRAIN...
YOU KNOW, AGATHA, I FIND IT EXTREMELY DULL CAPTIVATING THESE HORDES OF ORDINARY MEN...
HMPH! I SUPPOSE NOW YOU'RE GOING AFTER SUPERMAN!

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BIG CHIEF WAHOO — By Saunders and Woggon

YOU MUST BE MAD, MR. VULCHER! EVEN IF I SIGN THIS PAPER, LEASING MY OIL LANDS TO YOU, I'LL FILE CHARGES AGAINST YOU THE MINUTE I GET BACK TO WASHINGTON!
NATURALLY! BUT THE CONTRACT WILL BE IN FORCE TILL IT'S DECLARED VOID! THE COURTS MOVE SLOWLY, PRINCESS. I SHALL HAVE SEVERAL PROFITABLE YEARS!
SIGN HERE, PLEASE! YOUR-UH--HOST AND HOSTESS WILL SERVE AS--AH--WITNESSES!
THAT IS MY ANSWER!
LOCK HER UP, MRS. CHURL! LET HER THINK THE MATTER OVER! WE SHALL NOT RESORT TO HARSH MEASURES--YET!

JANE ARDEN — Jane Investigates — By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross

I'M SORRY, TONY—IT'S NO USE!
BUT, JANE, I'VE GOT TO SEE YOU—
BUT, DARLING—GIVE ME A CHANCE TO EXPLAIN—
DO YOU SUPPOSE THIS CALL IS FOR YOU, HONEY CHILE?
FOR ME? IS IT A MAN?
I MUST SEE YOU, DEAR—I CAN'T GO ON THIS WAY—
?
O'COURSE I'LL SEE YOU, SUGAH—WHO IS THIS?
WHAT? SAY, WHO ARE YOU?

WINNIE WINKLE — Reward of Virtue — By Branner

SUSIE THINKS I'M LYIN' ABOUT MY BOY FRIEND, HECTOR HEARTAKE! YOU B'LIEVE ME, DON'T YA, WINNIE??
WHY, OF COURSE I DO!
I KNOW YOU WOULDN'T TELL A GREAT, BIG FIB LIKE THAT, DAISY!!
OF COURSE NOT!!
THERE! I JUST TOLD ANOTHER FIB! THAT'S ABOUT TH' TENTH ONE I HAD TO TELL TO BACK UP MY FIRST BIG FIB ABOUT HECTOR HEARTAKE!
A NICE THING ABOUT TELLIN' TH' TRUTH IS—Y' DON'T HAVE TO REMEMBER WHAT Y' SAID!!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED — By Zane Grey

A BURNT-UP GARAGE IS A SMALL PRICE FOR TOBY'S SAFETY, KING!
BETTER GET HER SOME DRY CLOTHES... I'M GOING TO HANDCUFF THE HEADLESS HERMIT!
KING'S GUN DROPPED OFF TH' ROOF... IF I KIN GET TO IT...
OH, OH!

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — By Clifford McBride

AUNT PHILLIPA SENT ME THIS BLOOMIN' THING! I SUPPOSE I GOTTA WEAR IT!
HEY, LET GO OF THAT YARN! DO YOU WANT TO UNRAVEL TH' SWEATER?
4-7

Betts Stresses Rail Shortage Of Men, Cars

L. M. Betts of Washington, manager of the railroad relations section, American Association of Railroads, declared yesterday that with 600,000 less freight cars in the United States than during the last war and the railroads short 100,000 men, transportation and shipping problems are extremely serious.

Speaking at the tenth victory meeting of the Midwest Shippers Advisory Board in Chicago, Betts told shippers, receivers and railroad representatives the railroads were not asking for deferment of all railroad men but were requesting "enough essential men to carry out our job."

Betts said box car conditions were easing up, but he expected the problem would become acute because of an expected bumper crop of winter wheat in the southwest and anticipated demands for prompt movement of the crop.

Discussing the manpower shortage, Betts said "1,000 trains were delayed more than two hours in February alone because of train-crew reductions," but he added the ODT officials had promised help "not only for the railroads, but also the shippers.'

Markets Closed Today

All the principal securities and commodities markets in the United States and Canada will be closed today in observance of Good Friday. Various livestock markets will be open, as will banks in most States and the District of Columbia.

Baron Catto Heads Bank of England As Norman Quits

Baron Catto

London, April 6 (AP).—Black-hatted, bearded Montagu C. Norman resigned the governorship of the powerful Bank of England today on the advice of physicians, and directors went outside the immediate ranks to choose as his successor Baron catto, a Scots-catto, a Sscosman long prominent in the business life of the British Empire, the United States and Russia.

The new governor is only seven years younger than 72-year-old Norman, who was serving his twenty-fourth term.

Catto—Thomas Sivewright Catto before he was created a baron in 1936—worked up from an office boy of 16 in a Newcastle shipping office to important directorships, all of which he resigned in 1940 to become an unpaid financial adviser to the treasury.

Catto's early experiences in Russia and his tenure as vice president of MacAndrews & Forbes Co. of New York, huge chemical manufacturing concern, from 1908 to 1919, influenced his choice for posts during the last war on the Russian commission and as chairman of the Allied Provision Export Commission.

Kresge Sales Rise 9% During March

S. S. Kresge Co. reports March sales of $16,280,431, up 9 per cent from $14,933,283 in the same month of last year, while sales for the first quarter totaled $44,512,-223, up 6.4 per cent from $41,847,-491 in the similar 1943 quarter.

Sears Roebuck Co. announced net sales for March amounted to $78,623,881 as compared to $66,-339,995 in 1943, an increase of $12,283,886 or 18.5 per cent. For February and March of 1944 the net sales were $138,769,134, an increase of $14,572,212 or 11.7 per cent over the same two months of 1943 when net sales were $124,-196,922.

F. W. Woolworth Co. reports March sales of $34,528,982, up 4.9 per cent from $32,901,210 in the same month last year. Sales for the first three months were $94,-901,405, up 1.5 per cent from $93,-505,722 in the like period of 1943.

Montgomery Ward & Co., reports March sales of $53,382,733, an increase of 2.3 per cent over sales of $52,192,472 in March, 1943. Sales for the two months ended March 31, were $90,899,173, a decline of 2.9 per cent from $93,635,-959 in the comparative 1943 months.

Aviation Corp. Nets $1,460,863 in Period

New York, April 6 (AP).—Aviation Corp. reported for the three months ended February 29 net income of $1,460,863, equal to 25 cents a share. The earnings are subject to contract renegotiation. In the same quarter of the preceding fiscal year the company earned $1,103,218, or 19 cents a share.

The report said that earnings do not include the corporation's equity in the undistributed earnings of associated companies which are not consolidated. These are Consolidated Vultee Corp., New York Shipbuilding Corp. and American Central Manufacturing Corp. Aviation Corp. also has substantial investments in American Airlines, Pan American Airways Corp. and Roosevelt Field, Inc.

Hosiery Shipments Continue Decline

New York, April 6 (AP).—Total hosiery shipments during February were 6.4 per cent under those of the corresponding 1943 month, the National Association of Hosiery Manufacturers reported today, although women's full-fashioned stockings increased.

For the first two months of this year, the report said, shipments of 24,219,326 dozen pairs compared with 24,911,866 dozen pairs in the like 1943 period.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Libby Expects Sellout

Daniel W. Creeden, president of Libby, McNeill & Libby, food canners, told stockholders in his annual report yesterday that the company "expects to be sold out of seasonal products before new packs become available."

"While our intentions are to pack larger quantities of canned foods," Creeden said, "it is doubtful, on account of requirements, that more will be available for the civilian trade with the exception of canned meats and baby foods."

The company reported net profit in the fiscal year ended February 26, 1944, of $3,345,268, equal to 92 cents a capital share, compared with net profit of $3,270,029, equal to 90 cents a capital share, in the fiscal year ended February 27, 1943.

Insurance Parley Slated

A large delegation of Washington underwriters is expected to attend the twenty-sixth annual life insurance congress in Baltimore on Friday, April 14. Paul Hammock is chairman of the local committee in charge of registrations.

Stock Offering Made

New York, April 6 (AP).—A new issue of 40,000 shares of $4.75 cummulative preferred stock of the Consolidated Cigar Co. was offered publicly today at 97½ by a group headed by Eastman, Dillon & Co. Proceeds will be applied to retirement of presently outstanding 6½ per cent preferred.

Crown Cork Net Rises

Crown Cork & Seal Co., Inc., and wholly owned domestic subsidiaries report net profit of $1,637,-056 for the period ended December 31, or $2.18 a common share, against $1,458,564, or $1.84 a common share, for the proceding year.

Newsman Is Named To Mormon Council

Salt Lake City, April 6 (AP).—The first presidency of the Latterday Saints (Mormon) Church today elevated a 43-year-old newspaper executive to its council of 12 apostles.

Mark Edward Petersen, general manager of the Deseret News, Utah's oldest newspaper and owned by the church, was appointed to the council, filling a vacancy created through the ex-communication of Apostle Richard R. Lyman.

Livestock and Produce

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, April 6 (AP) (WPA Office of Distribution).—CATTLE—Receipts, 525. 100 holdovers not included; fairly active; receipts on slaughter classes meager, all classes generally steady with former days this week; good and choice steers around 1140 lbs., 15.80, early top; few lots, 15.50@15.75; low and average good, 14.50@14.75; medium, 13.50@14.40; truck-lot good heifers around 750 lbs., 14.00; common and medium, 10.50@13.00; canner cows, 6.00@7.25; shelly kinds down to 5.00; cutter and common, 7.50@9.00; medium dairy cows, 9.25@11.00; fat beef type cows heifers up to 12.00; top sausage bulls, 12.00; few outstanding head, 12.25; bulls, 9.50@11.75; stockers and feeders dull, unchanged; small lot medium feeder steers around 625 lbs., 13.25.

CALVES—Receipts, 350. Active; steady with Wednesday; good and choice vealers, 16.00@17.00; medium, 11.50@14.00; common, 7.50@11.00; culls, down to 5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 2500. Active; 240-330 lb. barrows and gilts steady with Wednesday; all other weights and sows, 10 higher; practical top, 14.40; good and choice, 120-130 lbs., 11.00@11.25; 130-140 lbs., 11.50@11.75; 140-150 lbs., 12.40@12.65; 150-160 lbs., 12.65@12.80; 160-180 lbs., 13.35@13.80; 180-200 lbs., 13.90@14.15; 200-240 lbs., 14.30@14.40; 240-330 lbs., 14.30; good sows up to 400 lbs., 11.30@11.70; over 400 lbs. considerably lower.

SHEEP—Receipts, 200. Wooled offerings scarce, quotable steady; good and choice wooled lambs eligible to sell from 16.50@17.50; no early action on deck medium to choice spring lambs; slaughter wool steady; choice, 7.00; medium and good, 5.50@6.50; cull and common, 3.00 @5.00.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., April 6 (AP) (USDA). (Prices represent sales on wholesale market.)

WHITE POTATOES—Receipts heavy; market dull; 100-lb. sacks, U. S. No. 1, Maine, 2.50@3.00.

EGGS (prices paid net to producers, f.o.b. Richmond)—Supplies liberal; market about steady on graded eggs, weak on ungraded Federal-State grading stations, whites and browns. U. S. grade A large, 33; U. S. grade A medium, 32; U. S. grade A small, 25; U. S. grade B large, 30; U. S. grade C, 29; nearby ungraded eggs, current receipts, whites and mixed colors, 27@29.

LIVE POULTRY (prices paid net to producers, f.o.b. Richmond) — Supplies all classes very scarce; market generally firm; demand good; broilers, fryers and roasters, 28½; fowl, colored, 25; Leghorns, 22@23; old roosters, 18@20.

HOGS—Market steady; good and choice 200-330 lb. grain-fed hogs, 13.85, bought subject to inspection; flat prices, 200-330 lb. weights, 13.35; 100-120 lbs., 9.85; 120-140 lbs., 10.60; 140-160 lbs., 11.35; 160-180 lbs., 12.35; 180-200 lbs., 13.10; weights over 330 lbs., 12.85; good sows under 350 lbs., 11.35; 350-500 lbs., 10.85; good stags up to 550 lbs., 9.35; sows and stags over 500 lbs. not wanted.

CATTLE—Cows steady; medium to good, 9.00@9.75; common to medium, 8.00@9.00; canners, 6.00@7.50; butcher, 10.00@11.00; bologna bulls, 9.00@10.00; good and choice vealers fully steady, topping around 13.50 @15.75.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, April 6 (AP) (WFA).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; total, 20,000; slow, some early sales good and choice 200-270 lbs. steady to 10 higher, but later trade and bulk sales all weights steady, 10 lower; early top 14.05 sparingly; bulk good and choice, 190-330 lbs., 13.85@14.05; good and choice, 160-180 lbs., 12.75@13.75; sows steady, good and choice, 350-550 lbs., 13.25@13.50; choice lightweights, 13.60; good clearance.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts, 4500; salable calves, receipts 900; fed steers and yearlings steady; good and choice offerings fairly active, common and medium grade slow, especially kind selling at 13.50 down; bulk, 14.00@15.75; top 16.75, but very little above 16.00; other killing classes steady, beef cows and weighty bulls active; canner and cutter cows and light bulls dull; vealers scarce and unchanged at 16.00 down; moderate supply fed heifers steady, 12.50@15.00, with best load lots at 15.75; stock cattle very slow at 9.50 @12.00; fleshy kind or well bred thin offerings, 13.00 upward; heavy sausage bulls to 12.15; heavy fat bulls to 13.25; light canner cows, 6.00@6.50; weighty cutters, 8.50 and better.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 6500; total, 6500; slaughter lambs active, steady to strong; nine and a half loads good and choice fed wooled lambs mostly Colorados sold 16.50, several loads held slightly higher; two loads lambs, 16.35; two loads just-good kind, 16.00@16.10; six loads good and choice but very muddy pelted Utah lambs 15.75, with about 200-head sorted out at 13.50; load common light lambs, 13.75; sheep very scarce, quoted nominally steady.

New York Stock Market Quotations

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 757,-680 shares; previous day, 772,390 shares; week ago, 681,790 shares; year ago, 1,809,640 shares; two years ago, 347,380. January 1 to date, 65,673,214 shares; year ago, 92,721,221 shares; two years ago, 31,615,449 shares.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, April 6.—

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
30 ind.	138.55	139.24	138.31	138.91	+0.74
20 rails	39.39	39.53	39.21	39.40	+0.02
15 utils	22.89	23.00	22.80	22.91	—0.07
65 stocks	49.74	49.97	49.61	49.83	+0.16

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 34,300; rails, 35,020; utilities, 35,000; 65 stocks, 104,320.

	Sales. Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	1	57½	57½	57½	— ½
Acme Stl	1	58	58	58	+ ½
Adams Exp	1	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	+ ⅛
Addressog-Mult	3	20½	20½	20½	— ¾
Air Reduction	8	41⅝	41	41	— ¼
Alaska Juneau	58	6½	6⅜	6⅜	+ ⅛
Alleghany Corp	11	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	— ⅛
Alleg pf	15	29	28½	28½	— ¼
Alleg pr pf	1	50½	50½	50½	.....
Alleg Lud Stl	7	25⅞	25¼	25⅜	+ ⅛
Allen Indust	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
Al Chem & Dye	1	144½	144½	144½	+ ½
Allied Mills	36	33⅝	32¾	32¾	— ¼
Allied Strs	13	16¾	16½	16⅝	+ ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg	36	35¼	34¾	35	+ ⅛
Allis-Ch rt	351	1⅛	⅞	1	— ⅛
Alpha-Pt Cem	1	18	17⅞	18	+ ¼
Amal Leath pf	3	36½	36	36½	.....
Amerada Pet	2	83	83	83	.....
Am Ag Ch Del	1	29½	29½	29½	+ ¾
Am Airlines	2	63	63	63	.....
Am Bank Note	1	17⅝	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
Am Bosch	2	13	12⅞	13	+ ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	3	38½	38½	38½	.....
Am Cable & R	99	9⅜	9	9⅛	+ ⅛
Am Can	89	8	8	8	+ 1⅛
Am Car & Fdy	7	35⅞	35⅜	35⅝	— ⅛
Am Colortype	1	11½	11½	11½	— ¼
Am Distil stpd	10	29⅜	28¾	29½	+ 1¼
Am Encaus Til	4	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	+ ⅛
Am Export L	2	26½	26	26½	+ 1
Am & Por Pow	2	5¾	5¼	5¼	.....
A & F P $6 pf	5	80	77	77	— 2½
A & F P $7 pf	5	91	89½	89½	— 1¼
Am & F P 2 pf	235	25⅝	23¾	24½	— ⅛
Am-Hawaii SS	9	35	35	35	.....
Am Hide & Lea	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	.....
Am Hi & L pf	1	39½	39½	39½	.....
Am Home Prod	16	66	66	66	.....
Am Ice	4	6⅞	6¾	6¾	+ ⅛
Am Internat	1	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛
Am Invest Ill	1	7	7	7	.....
Am Locomot	20	17⅞	17½	17⅝	+ ⅛
Am Loco pf	1	89	89	89	+ ¼
Am M & Fdy	13	15⅝	15½	15⅝	+ ⅛
Am Metal	6	12	11¾	11¾	— ⅛
Am Metals	1	21¾	21¾	21¾	+ ¼
Am Pow & Lt	7	2⅝	2½	2⅝	+ ⅛
Am P & L $6 pf	1	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	+ ⅛
Am P & L $5 pf	11	45⅝	45¼	45¼	— ⅛
Am Rad & St S	41	9⅞	9⅜	9⅜	— ⅛
Am Roll Mill	3	13¼	13¼	13¼	— ⅛
Am Safety Razor	10	17	16¾	17	+ ⅛
Am Seating	11	14½	14½	14½	.....
Am Smelt & R	11	38½	38	38½	+ ⅛
Am Stee Fdrs	2	25⅝	25⅜	25⅝	.....
Am Stores	1	15½	15½	15½	— ⅛
Am Stove	2	20¾	20¾	20¾	+ ⅛
Am Sugar Ref	7	37⅜	36⅝	36⅝	— ⅛
Am Tel & Tel	21	157⅞	157½	157⅝	.....
Am Tobacco	4	61	61	61	.....
Am Tobacco B	8	61¾	61⅜	61⅜	.....
Am Type Fdrs	11	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	— ⅛
Am Viscose	4	43	42⅝	43	.....
Am Water Wks	6	7½	7¼	7½	+ ⅛
Am Wool pf	1	82½	82½	82½	+ ⅜
Am Zinc L & S	3	4¾	4½	4¾	.....
Anaconda Cop	22	26⅛	26	26⅛	+ ⅛
Arm Cl	9	5⅝	5¼	5¼	.....
Arm Ill pr pf	1	84	84	84	.....
Armstrong Cork	7	37½	37	37¼	+ ⅛
Arnold Const	4	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	.....
Artloom Corp	1	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	.....
Asd Dry Goods	3	4¼	4¼	4¼	.....
Atch T & S F	8	65⅞	65⅝	65½	.....
Atch T & S F pf	7	92	91¾	91¾	+ ⅛
Atl Coast Line	6	37⅞	37½	37⅝	— ⅛
Atl Refining	3	29¾	29⅝	29⅝	+ ⅛
Atlas Corp	5	13⅛	13	13	+ ⅛
Atlas Tack	1	15¼	15¼	15¼	+ 1⅛
Aust Nichols	1	8	8	8	.....
Aviation Corp	14	4	3⅞	4	+ ⅛
Bald Loco ct	13	19⅝	19⅜	19⅜	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio	19	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	.....
Balt & Ohio pf	17	16¾	16⅜	16⅜	+ ⅛
Barber Asph	3	25	24⅞	25	+ ⅛
Barnsdall Oil	6	17	16⅞	17	+ ⅛
Bath Ir Wks	5	17⅜	17⅛	17½	— ⅛
Bayuk Cigars	1	28¾	28¾	28¾	.....
Bell Aire	2	12½	12½	12½	— ⅛
Bendix Aviat	6	36⅜	36⅛	36⅛	— ⅛
Benef Ind Ln	3	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	+ ⅛
Best & Co	3	37¼	37⅛	37¼	.....
Best Foods	36	18¾	18⅛	18¾	+ ⅛
Beth Steel	9	59¼	58⅝	58⅞	— ⅛
Beth Steel pf	1	90	90	90	+ ½
Bigelow-Sanf	1	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞	+ ½
Blaw-Knox	15	8⅝	8½	8½	.....
Bliss & Laugh	1	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	+ ⅛
Boeing Airplane	10	14¼	14	14	.....
Bond Strs	1	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	+ ⅛
Borden Co	3	30⅝	30⅜	30⅜	— ⅛
Borg-Warner	4	36½	36½	36½	+ ⅛
Braniff Airw	9	15¼	15	15	.....
Brew Corp Am	1	49½	49½	49½	— ⅛
Bridgeport Br	2	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	.....
Briggs Mfg	2	30⅜	30	30	— ⅛
Bklyn Un Gas	53	21⅝	21	21⅝	+ ⅛
Brown Shoe	1	42½	42½	42½	+ ⅛
Brunsw-Balke	1	18½	18½	18½	+ ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	12	9¼	9⅛	9¼	.....
Budd Mfg	3	6¾	6¾	6¾	.....
Bud Wheel	3	8	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛
Bullard Co	1	19½	19½	19½	+ ⅛
Burling Mills	1	29	29	29	.....
Burr Add Mach	11	13	12⅞	12⅞	— ⅛
Bush Terminal	1	5	5	5	.....
Butler Bros	1	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	.....
Butler Bros pf	1	29	29	29	.....
Butte Cop & Z	1	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	.....
Byers (A M) Co	1	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	+ ⅛
Byron Jackson	1	20½	20½	20½	.....
Calif Packing	5	27¾	27½	27⅝	— ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	1	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	.....
Calumet & Hec	1	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	+ ⅛
Campbell Wy	3	16¾	16⅝	16⅝	.....
Can Dry G A	6	25⅜	25¼	25⅜	— ⅛
Canad Pacific	24	9⅝	9½	9¾	+ ⅛
Capital Adm A	1	4	4	4	+ ⅛
Carriers & Gen	1	4¼	4¼	4¼	.....
Case (J I) Co	2	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	.....
Caterpil Tract	8	49	48½	48½	— ½
Celanese Corp	5	36	35⅞	36	.....
Celotex Corp	2	12	12	12	.....
Cent Aguirre	1	20½	20½	20½	.....
Cent Foundry	2	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	.....
Cent RR NJ	6	12¼	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅜
Cerro de Pas	5	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛	.....
Certain-teed P	2	5½	5⅜	5½	.....
Ches & Ohio	14	45⅝	45½	45½	.....
Chi & E Ill	6	16⅜	16¼	16¼	+ ⅛
Chi Grt West	1	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	.....
Chi & N West	7	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜	+ ⅛
Chi Mail Order	1	16¾	16¾	16¾	— ¼
Chi & NW pf	55	53⅞	53⅜	53⅜	.....
Chi Pneu Tool	1	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	.....
Chi Pn T cv pf	2	41	41	41	.....
Chi Yell Cab	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Chick Cot Oil	1	15⅝	15⅝	15⅜	+ ⅛
Chrysler Corp	12	84⅜	83⅜	84¼	+ 1⅛
City Stores	3	8	7⅞	7⅞	.....
Clark Equip	2	40	39⅞	39⅞	— ⅛
Climax Molyb	2	35¼	35	35¼	+ ⅛
Coast-e-P-P	12	27½	27½	27½	+ ⅛
Collins & Aik	5	27⅜	27	27⅛	+ ⅛
Col B5cast A	11	28⅛	27¾	28	— ¼
Col B'cast B	1	28¼	28¼	28¼	.....
Col G & E	22	4⅝	4½	4½	.....
Col G&E $5 pf	2	82½	82½	82½	— ⅛
Coml Credit	6	40⅜	40	40	— ⅜
Coml Invest Tr	7	43¾	43¼	43¼	— ⅛
Coml Solvents	15	15⅛	15	15	— ⅛
Com'with & Sou	30	¾	¾	¾	.....
Com & So pf	5	83½	82¾	83⅛	+ ⅛
Com'with Ser	18	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	.....
Congol-Nairn	1	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞	+ ⅛
Consol Cigar	15	27½	25½	27	+ 1⅜
Cons Coppermin	3	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	.....
Cons Edison	31	21¾	21⅝	21⅝	— ⅛
Cons Edison pf	106	106	106	106	+ ⅛
Consol Flim Ind	9	4	4	4	.....
Cons Flim Ind pf	1	19½	19½	19½	.....
Cons Laundries	4	10	10	10	.....
Cons Nat Gas	24	29⅜	29⅛	29⅜	.....
Cons Vultee	13	13¼	13¼	13¼	.....
Consol Coal	15	16⅜	16⅛	16⅜	.....
Container Corp	7	23	22⅞	23	+ ⅛
Cont Baking	7	9	8⅞	8⅞	.....
Cont Can	8	36⅜	36¼	36⅜	+ ⅛
Cont Ins	1	45⅝	45⅝	45⅝	.....
Cont Motors	35	5¾	5½	5⅝	.....
Cont Oil Del	12	31⅛	31¼	31⅛	— ⅛
Cooper Bess	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Cooper Bess pf	1	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞	— ⅛
Cont Steel	2	26	25⅝	25⅝	— ⅜
Corn Products	6	54¾	54½	54½	— ⅛
Cornell-Dub El	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Coty Internat	1	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	.....
Crane Co	80	22⅜	21⅞	22⅛	.....
Cream of Wheat	10	24	23¾	23½	+ ⅜
Crosley Corp	1	19	19	19	.....
Crown Crk & S	3	31⅜	31¼	31¼	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	5	31⅛	31¼	31⅜	— ⅛
Crucible Steel pf	7	78½	78½	78½	+ ⅛
Cuban-Am Sugar	6	12⅞	12¾	12⅞	+ ⅛
Curt Publishing	17	6	5¾	6	.....
Curtis P pr pf	2	43½	43¼	43¼	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wright	44	5⅝	5½	5½	.....
Curtiss-Wr A	7	07	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅛
Cutler-Hammer	3	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞	+ ⅛
Davega Stores	1	26	26	26	+ ⅛
Davison Chem	8	14⅝	14¼	14⅜	— ⅛
Decca Records	2	25¾	25½	25¾	+ ⅛
Deere & Co	3	40	39½	40	+ ⅛
Deere & Co pf	1	33½	33½	33½	— ½
Delaid-Wem-Gil	1	19¼	19¼	19¼	.....
Del & Hudson	15	29⅞	29¾	29¾	+ ⅛
Del Lack & W	76	9¼	8½	9	+ ⅛
Detroit Edison	14	19⅜	19⅛	19⅜	+ ⅛
Diamond Mat	1	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝	+ ⅛
Diam T Motor	26	15¼	14⅞	15⅛	+ ⅛
Distr Corp-Seag	2	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛	+ ⅛
Doehler Die C	2	40⅜	40⅜	40⅜	— ⅛
Dome Mines	41	24½	24	24	+ ⅛
Douglas Aircr	4	50½	50¼	50½	.....
Dow Chem	35	119⅝	119	119	.....
Dresser Mfg	2	31	31	31	.....
Dumbill Int	10	9¾	9½	9⅝	+ ⅛
duPont de N	14	145	144¼	144¼	— ¾
duPont pf	2	127	126½	127	— ¼
duPont 3 Sou pf	1	11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ⅛
Eastern R Mill	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	.....
Eastman Kodak	6	167	166	167	+ 1¼
Eaton Mfg	4	43⅜	43⅛	43⅜	+ ⅛
Edis Bros Strs	2	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	.....
El Auto-Lite	11	29⅞	29⅝	29⅝	— ⅛
Elec Boat	4	10⅜	10⅛	10⅛	.....
El P & L $6 pf	3	4½	4½	4½	.....
El P & L $6 pf	4	85⅛	85	85	+ ⅛
El P & L $7 pf	5	88½	87½	88¼	+ ⅛
El Storage Bat	3	40⅛	40⅛	40⅛	+ ⅛
El Paso N Gas	1	31	31	31	— ⅛
Emp Pub Serv	33	12¼	12	12¼	.....
Equit Off Bldg	2	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
Erie RR	129	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	+ ⅛
Erie RR ct	12	12¼	12¼	12¼	+ ⅛
Erie RR pf A	1	55½	55½	55½	+ ⅛
Eureka V Clean	1	7¼	7¼	7¼	+ ⅛
Evans Prod	1	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	.....
Ex-Cell-O	45	29⅛	28⅛	29⅛	+ ⅛
Fairbanks Mor	3	37⅝	37½	37⅝	+ ⅜
Farns Tel & R	14	12	11⅞	12	.....
Fed Ming & S	4	21½	21	21½	+ ⅛
Fed Mogul	1	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	— ⅛
Fed Mot Truck	32	7⅞	7	7¼	.....
Ferro Enam	2	19¾	19¾	19¾	+ ¼
Fir P Fire Ins	2	48¼	48	48¼	+ ¼
Firestone T&R	4	42¾	42¼	42¾	— ⅛
First T&R pf	3	106	106¾	106¾	— ⅛
First Nat Strs	3	37¾	37⅜	37⅝	+ ⅛
Flintkote	4	22¼	22	22	+ ⅛
Follansbee Stl	7	7	6⅞	7	+ ⅛
Food Fair Strs	1	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	.....
Food Machine	1	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	— ½
Foster Wheeler	13	22⅜	21⅞	22¼	+ ⅜
Francisco Sug	1	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	+ ⅛
Freeport Sulph	1	32⅜	32⅜	32⅜	+ ½
Fruehauf Tra	1	33⅜	33⅜	33⅜	+ ½
Fruehauf T pf	2	104¾	104½	104½	— ¼
Gair (Robert)	22	3¾	3⅝	3¾	+ ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	4	5⅝	5¼	5⅜	+ ⅛
Gaylord Cont	1	13½	13½	13½	.....
Gen Am Invest	2	12⅝	12¼	12¼	.....
Gen Am Trans	5	45½	45	45	— ¾
Gen Baking	4	8¼	8⅛	8⅛	.....
Gen Bronze	8	9½	9¼	9½	.....
Gen Cable A	4	14¼	14	14¼	+ ⅛
Gen Cigar	2	27½	27⅜	27⅜	— ⅛
Gen Elec	32	36¼	35¾	36⅛	+ ⅜
Gen Foods	8	42¼	42⅛	42⅛	.....
Gen G & E A	2	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	.....
Gen Mills	3	107	106½	107	+ ½
Gen Motors	28	58¼	57⅝	57⅞	+ ⅛
Gen Motors pf	2	128	127½	128	+ 2¼
Gen Out Adv	4	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	.....
Gen Prec Eq	7	20¾	20¼	20⅝	+ ⅛
Gen Print Ink	4	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	.....
Gen Ry Signal	1	21½	21½	21½	+ ½
Gen Real & U	7	1¾	1¾	1¾	.....
Gen R & U pf	5	79½	77¾	79½	+ 2
Gen Refract	2	21¼	21¼	21¼	.....
Gen Tel	2	24⅝	24½	24⅝	.....
Gen T & Rub	2	22	22	22	.....
Gilette Saf R	6	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
Gimbel Br xd	10	13½	13¼	13¼	.....
Glidden Co	4	19¾	19½	19¾	.....
Gobel (Adolf)	2	2	2	2	.....
Goebel Brew	4	3⅜	3½	3⅜